

## SUB. SAFELY PROCEEDING TOWARD CUBAN PORT

SEEK FREEPORT  
MEN FOR DEATH  
OF ROCKFORDITEJunk Man Mysteriously  
Murdered in Rock-  
ford Sunday

(Telegraph Special Service)

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 31.—Winnebago county authorities are today looking for a Freeport man, known as James Diverno, and two other Freeporters whose names are not known, for the fatal shooting of Lawrence McGill, 23, night watchman at Joseph Behr & Sons junk yard here Sunday night. McGill died at the Rockford hospital at 12:05 o'clock this morning.

Two youthful companions of the wounded man—William Oberg, 17, and Joseph Kranski, 17, were taken into custody by police as material witnesses.

## Invited Youths for Ride.

According to the story pieced together by police, McGill late Sunday night invited Oberg and Kranski to ride with him in a Ford truck owned by the Behr company.

As they drove north on E. Keefe street and reached Fifteenth avenue, they saw that the house on the southwest corner of the intersection was lighted up and McGill, who was at the wheel, stopped at the curb to investigate.

Just as the truck stopped, a woman and two men are said to have emerged from the front door of the house and to have walked toward a Studebaker coupe parked nearby. One of the men turned toward McGill's truck and demanded to know what he wanted.

## Bullet Interrupts Quarrel.

Sharp words are said to have ensued, and the stranger is alleged to have walked around to the far side of the truck, where he drew a revolver and fired at McGill, the bullet striking the young watchman in the left side, tearing through his stomach and liver and lodging in the muscles of the right abdominal wall, just above the hip.

Immediately after the gun flashed, the stranger is said to have run to the waiting coupe and to have sped away with his two companions.

## Companions Flee.

Started by the gun play, Oberg and Kranski said they fled. Oberg claims that he went back a few minutes later to look for his friend, but found the Ford truck standing unoccupied at the spot where McGill had been killed. Five minutes later, when he returned a second time, he claims the Ford had been driven away.

At 1:30 o'clock, Joe Corpora, a barber, telephoned police that he had taken "a very sick man" to Behr's junk yard, and officers immediately rushed there.

## Find Youth Near Death.

Behr was known to have a police watchdog on the premises, so police telephoned the proprietor, who came down, identified the animal and permitted officers to enter the building. In the upstairs room of a building adjoining the main structure, McGill was found lying in a pool of blood on a bed. He was partially conscious and gave police the names of the two men who were with him when he was shot.

Six Die in Blast  
in Eastern Home

Newton, Mass., Jan. 31.—(AP)—Six persons perished in a blast which wrecked a two-story building here yesterday and rocked large portions of Newton and the adjoining city of Waltham.

Frank Gorgone's grocery occupied the ground floor and his family lived on the second floor. Gorgone lost his wife and two children, but escaped himself. The other victims were Thomas Gorgone, a relative, and Leonard D. Jackson, a city health inspector in the story on duty.

Salvatore Lacava, another relative, was missing. The discovery of extensive liquor making apparatus in the basement led to the belief that the stills had exploded but Walter L. Wedger, former State Chemist, announced after a preliminary investigation, that the house probably had been dynamited.

Haig to be Buried  
at His Scotch Home

London, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Although there had been every expectation that the late Earl Haig would be buried in St. Paul's with the highest honors that could be accorded a British military hero, it was announced today that the burial, at the Field Marshall's own wish, will be at his Scotch home at Bermesdy.

Ate Sausage and Buck  
Wheat Cakes with Pres.

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—White House breakfasts were resumed today when President Coolidge invited a group of Democratic and Republican Senators for buckwheat cakes and sausage.

Those invited included Senator De-

FARNUM'S MIND  
UNSOOUND, JURY  
FOUND MONDAYYoung Man on Trial  
for Defacing of  
Public Record

A jury in the circuit court late yesterday afternoon returned a verdict finding that Francis Farnum of this city was of unsound mind about the first of October, 1927, when he is alleged to have defaced a record in the offices of Circuit Clerk and Recorder Edwin S. Rosencrans at the court house, that at the time he was unable to distinguish between right and wrong and at the present time had not fully recovered.

The verdict was of a far different character than has been returned in the circuit court for a period of many years. It required less than ten minutes for the attorneys to select a jury, the first panel of twelve jurors drawn being subjected to very little questioning before being accepted by both sides.

In his opening statement to the jury, Attorney H. A. Brooks stated that Farnum, his client, had not defaced the records as charged in the indictment, then added that if he did was of unsound mind at the time. Six witnesses, five of whom were attorneys, testified that in their opinion the defendant was of unsound mind. Four of the witnesses told the jury that in their opinion Farnum was still of unsound mind and that in their belief he was incapable of distinguishing between right and wrong.

The attorneys did not present arguments to the jury at the conclusion of the taking of testimony and the jury required but very little time in which to arrive at a verdict in the case.

WITNESS SAYS  
SNOOPER SHOT  
WITHOUT CAUSEDamaging Evidence is  
Given in Rockford  
Murder Trial

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 31.—(AP)—Almost simultaneously with his declaration, "I've got you," John Beyer, Jr., 21-year-old prohibition investigator of Janesville, Wis., drew a pistol and fired at William Petroff, roadhouse proprietor of South Beloit, who had served Beyer a drink. John Ray, Petroff's bartender, testified today at Beyer's trial for murder.

Ray said he did not hear what Beyer ordered. The bartender was the third man in the room when the shooting occurred.

As Beyer left the roadhouse with Ray in handcuffs, Charles Hopper testified he started to enter.

"Get away. I just killed one man and I would just as soon kill another," Hopper quoted Beyer as saying.

Safeguards Against  
"Time Lock" Bandits

Chicago, Jan. 31.—(AP)—New safeguards against "time lock bandits" have been adopted by the Illinois Bankers' Association following the robbery of three banks within a month. Loot from the three robberies amounted to \$148,000.

All members of the organization have been advised to have their vault combination numbers divided into three sections, no employee knowing more than one. This would make necessary the capture of three employees by bandits planning a similar robbery.

They were also urged to set the time locks for about 9 o'clock when most employees would be at the banks.

Ashton Woman Died  
on Visit to Her Son

Ashton, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Lyman Randall, a well known resident of Ashton, who passed away while visiting at the home of her son in Oklahoma City, Okla. The remains will arrive in Ashton Wednesday and funeral services will be conducted from the Presbyterian church at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Thomas will officiate and interment will be made in the Ashton cemetery.

WIFE RIDES ON SPARE TIRE OF  
HUBBY'S AUTOMOBILE WHILE HE  
TAKES ANOTHER GIRL FOR RIDE

Oregon, Jan. 31.—Tying herself to the spare tire on the back of her husband's car Sunday night, a local woman succeeded in interrupting a joy-ride that her spouse had planned with another woman with whom he is said to have had an affair of several weeks' duration. There was a brief scene when the wife's presence was made known and the other woman vanished.

No arrests were made and Sheriff Sam Good is withholding the names of the participants.

"LONE EAGLE" IS  
ON HIS TRIP TO  
ST. THOMAS NOWLeft Venezuela for Virgin  
Islands Early  
Today

## BULLETIN

New York, Jan. 31.—(AP)—The French Cable Company announced this afternoon receipt of advices from Basse Terre, Guadeloupe, stating that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh poised over that place at 2:30 P. M., local time (1:30 P. M. Eastern Standard Time). (Basse Terre is about 285 miles in an air line from St. Thomas.)

## BULLETIN

St. Lucia, West Indies, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Lindbergh passed off port Castries at 12:55 p. m., heading north.

## BULLETIN

St. Vincent, Windward Islands, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Col. Lindbergh's plane passed over here, going north at 12:30 p. m.

## BULLETIN

Caracas, Venezuela, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, with St. Thomas, the Virgin Islands, as his next stopping place, hopped off from Maracay at 6:15 a. m. He will fly 1,000 miles.

## ON LONG JUMP

Caracas, Venezuela, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Islands, among which more than four centuries ago the tiny craft of Christopher Columbus threaded their way, today marked the route of a blazer of air trails in the new world. Columbus discovered.

The Lesser Antilles, separating the sunlit waters of the Caribbean from the Atlantic, pointed a way to the north for Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. A thousand miles of flying was ahead of the Lone Eagle. At the end of this trail lay St. Thomas, one of the Virgin Islands, where the population waited to do honor to a fellow American.

It was the long way round that Lindbergh chose for his Spirit of St. Louis, which now carries painted on its fuselage the flag of another republic—Venezuela. To have followed the route across which steamers laden with the fruits of the tropics fly across the Caribbean would have been some 400 miles shorter.

Not only does Lindbergh take with him the flag of Venezuela, he takes also the warm regard of another people. Behind him he leaves a pretty young Venezuelan girl who prizes three autographs he gave her and cherishes the ingratiating smile which accompanied the gift.

Taking from her own hand a small glove on which was embroidered in Spanish: "To the Twentieth Century Hero, the Lone Eagle, the friendly ambassador of the air," she gave it to Lindbergh. When she asked for something in return, Lindbergh, puzzled, scratched his head and then took a piece of paper and wrote on it three times "Charlie Lindbergh."

## CHEER REBEL GENERAL

Guatemala City, Guatemala, Jan. 31.—(AP)—What has become known as the "Sandino Affair" has developed in connection with the flights through Guatemala of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to the south and Deudonne Costes and Joseph Lebriz to the north.

When the French flyers were attending a reception in their honor at the Palace Hotel Friday 5000 persons gathered before the hotel and shouted for the Frenchmen. With the French Minister, the aviators appeared on the balcony.

An orator in the crowd addressed a eulogy to the Frenchmen. They did not come, he said, as "geographical basadors." Another speaker proclaimed that "Central America, today more than ever, has need of the friendship of great and cultured peoples like those of glorious France."

"Viva Francis! Viva Central America! Viva Nicaragua! Viva Sandino, martyr!" the crowd shouted in acclaiming the orators.

President Chacon and the diplomatic corps including Arthur H. Geissler, American minister, were among the guests at the reception when the crowd shouted their praise for the rebel General against whom was made in the Ashton cemetery.

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## SERVICE BUREAU FOR FAIR SEX

Telegraph Compiles List of Eligible Bachelors and Widowers for Leap Year Activities

We know the spinsters and maidens of Dixon and vicinity are delighted with the new feature the Evening Telegraph has inaugurated for their benefit—the listing of eligible bachelors and widowers, but we wonder if these marriageable males themselves realize the value of our efforts in their behalf. Some hints have been dropped that indicate a lack of appreciation.

We are inclined to think that these murmurs are the result of embarrassment, and that the victims held up as targets for Cupid's shafts are secretly tickled half to death. Of course none of them will admit it.

It is Leap Year, you know, and the Telegraph is endeavoring to furnish a list of marriageable men in the community for the delectable sex to choose from. Today, ladies, we parade before you a splendid array of specimens of the Genus Homo. They are mostly in their wild state and unbroken, but we believe that any of them, if you have patience and treat them kindly, can be taught to sit up and speak, roll over or jump through the hoop at the crack of the whip. We don't guarantee their habits. We only point them out to you and give them a fifty yard start. If you catch them they are yours.

Today's Offering  
DUDLEY FREIDLINE—One of the old guard that dies but never surrenders. It will take a clever girl to get Dudley but he should be all the more appreciated because of being harder to capture than the Rock of Gibraltar.

CHARLES O. ENGEL—Artist and patron of the arts. Already favorably known throughout the west. He has transformed his studio into a veritable corner of the Mont Martre. How he could beautify a home for the right girl.

MILES JOHNSON—Lives in Nachusa and is reported to be buying furniture and planning to build a new house. What could be nicer than that?

FRED EMMITT—Wealthy bachelor. Said to be off of the girls, but anything that isn't worth fighting for isn't worth having. Lives in Nachusa.

GEORGE KRAIL—Another fine offering from Nachusa. Good looking and has a nice car.

LEON MILLER—Lives east of Dixon on the Daysville road. May be kind of fickle. Does a lot of looking around, we're told.

FRANCIS HEMMINGER—Auto mechanic. Owner of fine sedan. Beautiful disposition, frank expression and non-erasable smile.

CHARLES ESHBAUGH—Nice fair haired boy with blue eyes. Has retiring disposition but does not retire nights as he is night clerk at Nachusa Tavern.

JOHN BUCKLEY—Another rising young attorney who would be a good catch. Loves home cooking. May be snapped up soon.

GEORGE REIDE—Handsome insurance agent. Said to be insured against matrimony, but might have let his policy lapse.

LEO FANE—30 years old. Good dresser and good dancer. Steady worker and steady eater. If you can't bake good bread you have no chance.

FRANK BUCKLEY—Although he is an undertaker he is a live one himself. Makes good appearance. Can get his own breakfast.

OTTO SCHADE—Sometimes called "Butch." Coal and ice dealer in Ashton. Owner of immense asparagus beds, so if you like asparagus, give him a chase.

FLOYD SCHAEFER—Insurance agent. He also lives in Ashton. Likes home life. Good conversationalist.

CARL SCHADE—Another Ashton loner. What's the matter with those Ashton girls, we wonder? Carl is a decorator. Wouldn't you like to have a little decorator in your home? About 42.

O. C. BAKER—Grain dealer in Ashton. Another fine fellow. Would have to have a night out once in a while.

JAMES KNOX—Steady and even tempered. Has a nice home.

HAROLD BOYER—Another good catch who has his home all ready for you.

ELWOOD REISTER—Better known as "Dutch." Expert shoemaker. Lover of outdoor and indoor sports. Has a new car and a quiet disposition.

CARL ENGEL—Lives in Dementown. An accomplished entertainer. Plays accordion and pinocchio. Would respond to kind treatment.

Join in the race ladies. Who will be the first to win the handsome plush upholstered sack weight.

NEW LINEUP TOMORROW

## DIXON BEACH TAXES

The Sawyer Abstract Co. of Hayward, Wis., has arranged to handle the collection of all taxes on Dixon Beach lots, and owners of such should communicate with the company in order to learn the amount of taxes due and make remittance; otherwise the payments will have to be made direct to the tax collector at Hayward.

The Sawyer Abstract Co. will charge a small fee of 25 cents per lot for handling the tax payments.

## Seven Die in Crash

Bogota, Colombia, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Seven persons were killed and three injured today in the collapse of a building, recently built to house a soap factory, in the city of Palmira, in the Cauca Valley, several neighboring houses were damaged by the falling building.

BANKER WITNESS  
IN HARRY HILL'S  
TRIAL THIS A. M.Told of the Young Man's  
Impersonation of  
Mother in Call

Ottawa, Ill., Jan. 31.—(AP)—Impersonating his mother, Harry Hill telephoned the Union National Bank at Streator last August that it would be all right to honor two checks totalling \$400, a witness testified today at the youth's trial for murder.

T. E. McNamara, Assistant Cashier at the bank, said he recognized the voice on the wire as that of the young man the state accuses of shooting Mrs. Eliza A. Hill and burying her body in the basement of her home.

"This is Mrs. Hill; it is all right to cash those checks," Harry informed the banker the morning of Aug. 16, McNamara testified.

"I told him we had no authority to honor the checks upon such information, but would be glad to do so if Mrs. Hill would write us a note," testified McNamara.

Denied Making Call.  
The checks were made out to "cash," one for \$150, and the other for \$250 and signed "Mrs. Aliza A. Hill."

The cashier said he saw Harry about 45 minutes later and rebuked him for "trying to get away with anything like that."

McNamara said Harry denied making the call.

McNamara detailed his visit to the Hill home in search of Mrs. Hill Aug. 14 and told of a visit in the evening after two previous unsuccessful calls during the day.

The calls were made at the request of Dr. H. C. Hill, from whom Mrs. Hill had been divorced.

The juror who was sick yesterday, Robert Thompson, appeared to have recovered today.

A possible motive for the slaying was brought today to the attention of the jury.

Introduction as evidence of checks drawn by the Streator youth and a deposit showing a sum credited to his mother's account, was permitted by Judge Davis after heated argument among the attorneys. The jury was dismissed while the prosecution explained its reason for wishing to introduce the deposit slip and checks.

"This is a big picture we are drawing," shouted A. J. O'Connor, special prosecutor. "If writing these checks and depositing them to the mother's account is an innocent thing, in what way can the defense be harmed?"

"But we claim it was not an innocent act. Dr. H. C. Hill discovered his son had drawn checks upon his mother's account and forced him to make good as far as possible by closing out his own account and giving her the money."

Shows Motion  
"It all has a close bearing on the case as exciting cause, impulse or motive. It will show the relationship between mother and son."

Lee O'Neill Browne of the defense said the prosecution merely wished to prejudice the jury by testimony they were attempting to draw from Thomas Earl McNamara, assistant Cashier of the Union National Bank of Streator.

Browne argued the prosecution could not follow up its case with further evidence.

"Follow it up," angrily cried O'Connor. "We will follow it up of those in possession of checks will surrender them."

The jury was recalled and McNamara testified that the deposit slip showed one check of \$37.46 from Harry's account in the Union National Bank and another of \$62.87 from the Streator National Bank, credited to Mrs. Hill's account.

He then told of visiting the Hill home on Sunday, Aug. 14, and asking Harry to see his mother. The son said she was at church. McNamara testified he returned later but Mrs. Hill was not at home and he saw no preparations for a dinner.

## Gets Collier Trophy

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—The Collier Trophy for 1927 was awarded today to Charles L. Lawrence for his work in developing the air-cooled engine.

ENGINEER RELINQUISHES THREE  
PERMITS TO CONSTRUCT DAMS IN  
ROCK RIVER IN OGLE AND LEE CO'S.

Three preliminary permits for proposed power developments on Rock River in Winnebago, Ogle and Lee counties have been cancelled at the request of George B. McClary, Chicago engineer, to whom they were issued, it was announced today at Washington.

Mr. McClary, according to a statement issued by the federal power commission, has announced that circumstances prevented him from carrying on the work under the permits.

Terse Items of  
News Gathered in  
Dixon During Day

## WARNER MEMORIAL

Judge Harry Edwards will hold a special session of the Lee County Circuit court next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in memory of the late A. Clinton Warner.

## EX-POLICEMAN HELD

Frank Adams of this city, a former member of the Rockford police force, was arrested last evening by Chief J. D. Van Bibber on a charge of wife and child abandonment. Adams was taken into the county court before Judge William L. Leach this morning on an information, and the case was continued until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Adams is alleged to have left his wife and two small children.

## JOHN C. SMALL DEAD

Mrs. Lloyd Hubbard has received word from her sister, Mrs. Forrest Small at Crystal Lake, Ill., of the death of John C. Small, father of Forrest Small. Mr. Small died suddenly Sunday morning while in his garage, cranking his car, death being caused by apoplexy. The Smalls are former Palmyra residents and have many friends in this vicinity. The funeral of Mr. Small will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Prairieville church.

## SEEK IOWA DRIVER

Abner Barlow of this city yesterday afternoon swore out a warrant before Police Magistrate A. E. Simonson for the arrest of an Iowa motorist, who had crashed into the rear of the Dixon man's wagon and caused some damage. The accident took place just east of the city on the Lincoln Highway. Taken to the police station, the wagon which Mr. Barlow was driving and damaged the harness. An argument is said to have ensued in which the Iowa driver threatened to display a revolver. The police were called but the car had made its way through the city before the officers could stop it.

## TOOK HARTZELL'S CAR

Rudolph Dapka, of Chicago, a feeble minded patient at the Dixon state hospital, escaped from the institution about midnight last night and was taken in custody by Officer Harry Jones at the North Western depot this morning shortly after 4 o'clock. Lapka had a Ford sedan in his possession and was inquiring the direction of the Lincoln Highway.

Taken to the police station for questioning, it developed that the car was the property of Lex Hartzell, Mr. Hartzell was returning to his home on Brinton avenue last night when the car suddenly stopped and refused to start. The driver took the key out of the switch, placed it beneath the mat and proceeded to his home. Lapka evidently found the parked sedan, used a master key and succeeded in starting the engine. The car was returned to its owner undamaged. Lapka was taken back to the institution.

## WAS FALSE ALARM

Flaming youth and a deck of cards formed the setting for a call for Sheriff Miller to investigate two suspicious looking cars which were driven north of Assembly park last evening. The sheriff responded and found one of the cars filled with young men who at the time were apparently very much interested in a "rummy" game. The passengers of both cars had crowded into one. The report to the sheriff complained of a crap game, but there was no evidence of this when the officers arrived.

## TO HONOR LAWYERS

The Lee County Bar Assn. will hold a Golden Anniversary banquet at the Hotel Dixon Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in honor of three of its members who have practiced law a half a century: Charles Elvey Ives of Amboy, admitted to the bar April 15, 1868; Charles Barton Morrison of Dixon, admitted to the bar June 13, 1877; and James Willard Wata, Dixon, admitted Jan. 18, 1878. Addresses will be delivered by Hon. Oscar E. Heard of Freeport, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Illinois, and Hon. Adam C. C. Cliffe, Judge of the United States District Court.

## Keeps Hands Off Game

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—President Coolidge has taken no action with respect to the Army-Navy football controversy and there was no indication at the White House today that he intended to do so.

James Nichols, Polo  
Citizen, is Called

James Nichols, 66, of Polo, former mayor of that city and delegate from the tenth district to the constitutional convention of 1918, died at his home in Polo last night after an illness of several months duration and following recent treatment in a Freeport hospital.

Funeral services will be held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock with burial at the Brick church cemetery at Eagle Point, Ogle county.

Mr. Nichols was born in Eagle Point township in 1861, moving to Polo about twenty-five years ago. He served the city of Polo as mayor for twelve consecutive years and was a member of the board of education of the city for sixteen years. He never married and had no church or fraternal affiliations. He is survived by two brothers and two sisters: John Rundell and Miss Olive, all of Polo, and Mrs. Nettie Wright of Mt. Carroll.

LOST IN STORM,  
U-BOAT SAILED  
TO DESTINATIONMessage of Its Safety  
is Received by the  
Navy Department

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Fears that another disaster like that of the submarine S-4 had overtaken the Navy were dispelled today with the news that the S-3 was safe in Florida waters and steaming toward Cuba.

Missing since sundown last Saturday, the S-3, sister of the S-4, was found last night at 8 o'clock. Her position given in a message to the Navy Department by Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby, commanding the control force of which the submarine was a part, was latitude 27.30, longitude 74.07. The message, relayed by Admiral Brumby from the Commander of the submarine division three, added that the S-3 was proceeding under her own power to Guantanamo, Cuba, but gave no other details.

Lost in Storm  
When she disappeared last Saturday the S-3 and her convoy were 100 miles south of Cape Hatteras. The submarine passed from sight of her sister ships during a storm and until last night no word was received from her.

While deeply concerned over the ship's disappearance, the Navy department decided to maintain grave fears until the ship should be reported overdue at her destination in Cuba tomorrow night. Although details are lacking, the message of the S-3's safety appeared to bear out the belief of officers here that she had suffered damage to her radio and although unable to report her position was steaming south on her own course.

Commanded by Lieut. P. W. Warren of Springfield, Illinois, the S-3 is one of eight submarines which with the tender Camden and the airplane carrier Saratoga, make up the control force. The force is en route to Cuba for winter maneuvers.

Ships Ordered Out  
First word of the submarine's disappearance was announced at the Navy Department yesterday morning. The announcement added that the other ships of the convoy were making a search and shortly afterward the navy ordered three cruisers and a destroyer squadron from Cuban waters to assist them.

The message from Brumby reached the Navy Department communications office at 1 o'clock this morning. It was given to The Associated Press and other press associations shortly after naval officials had been advised of the submarine's safety. There was no explanation of the lapse of time between the finding of the S-3 at 8 o'clock and the receipt of the message here.

Equalization Fee En-  
dorsed by Farm Assn.

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Farm relief legislation embodying the controversial equalization fee was endorsed again to the House Agriculture Committee today by the American Farm Bureau Federation and by Geoffrey Morgan, of the Dark Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association.

With the placing of the federation's stand in the record, a short but lively debate was presided over by Representative Kinchloe, Democrat, Kentucky, said he would resist any attempt by that organization to "browbeat the committee members on behalf of the McNary-Haugen bill."

This followed a statement in a letter signed by President Sam H. Thompson, and other federation officers that the committee would have to assume the responsibility if it took a "negative position" on farm relief. Thompson said his group, which favored the equalization fee in legislation or no farm relief by this congress, would "absolutely refuse to share" the responsibility if nothing constructive was provided for the farmer by Congress.

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

## Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Close Close Opening  
Yesterday Close Ago TodayWHEAT—  
March 1.30% 1.29%  
May 1.30% 1.41% 1.30%  
July 1.27% 1.32% 1.26%CORN—  
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May 91% 80% 91%  
July 92% 83% 92%OATS—  
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July 51% 47% 51%RYE—  
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## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Poultry: alive, steady receipts 3 cars; fowls 22 @25; springs 21½ @27; turkeys 25 @28; roosters 20; ducks 20 @25; geese 20 @25. Potatoes: receipts 68 cars, on track 220, total U. S. shipments 578 cars; demand and trading slow; market dull. Early sales reported; Wisconsin sacked round whites 1.50 @1.60; Minnesota sacked Red River Ohio and round whites 1.40 @1.50; Idaho sacked russet Burbanks 1.1, 1.60 @1.75.

Butter higher; receipts 11,608 tubs; creamery extras 44; standards 45½; extra firsts 44½ @45; firsts 41½ @43; seconds 38 @40½.

Eggs, lower; receipts 16,071 cases; firsts 34½ @35; ordinary firsts 32 @33.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Hogs: 48,000; early market generally 5 to 10c higher; latter trade slow, talking around steady; top 8.60 paid for choice 180 to 200 lb. averages; bulk choice hogs 170 to 210 lbs. 8.40 @8.55; butchers 230 to 310 lbs. mostly 8.20 @8.40; heavier butchers 8.10 @8.25 according to weight and quality; hogs uneven; bulk desirable kinds 7.25 @7.75; most packing sows 7.25 @7.50; heavy weight hogs from 8.00 to 8.35; medium 8.20 @8.60; light 8.10 @8.60; light light 7.65 @8.55; packing sows 7.10 @7.65; slaughter pigs 7.00 @8.00.

Cattle: 9600; fed steers and fed yearlings fully steady; weight steers higher in spots; better grade fat cows and heifers getting some action; low-er grades slow; bulk scarce but dull; vealers 50 to 75c higher; most early sales of fed steers 13.00 @16.00; one prime load 18.50; few loads weighty bullocks 17.00 @17.40; light vealers to big packers 13.00 @14.00; shippers 15.00 @15.50; most sausage bulls 8.00 @8.25; shipper kinds 8.25 @8.50.

Sheep: 10,000; fat and feeding lambs and shearing lambs active; 15 to 24c higher; bulk good and choice lambs 90 lbs. 14.25 @14.50; early top 14.75; 1 to 2 medium weights and bulk 93 to 96 lb. lambs 14.00 @14.25; four doubles good to choice around 86 lb. Colorado 14.40; medium to good 100 lb. yearlings 11.50; sheep strong to 15c higher; fat ewes 8.00 @8.25; best held higher; bulk better grade feeding lambs 13.50 @14.00; 74 lb mixed fat and feeders 14.35.

Estimated receipts: cattle 8000; hogs 22,000; sheep 11,000.

## Chicago Stocks

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Official 1 p. m. prices on Chicago stocks: Armour pfd 78  
Auburn Auto 126  
Borg & Beck 73½  
C & C Ry's pfd 23½  
Foot & Bros. 19  
G. L. Lakes Dredge 71  
Kellogg Switch 13  
Marvell Carb 62½  
Mid West Util 132  
Mid Steel Products 102  
Monsanto 43½  
Montgomery Ward 130½  
Stewart Warner 82½  
Sears Roebuck 84  
Swift Int'l 29  
U. S. Cypsum 83  
Warner Gees 35½  
Yates Machine 17½  
Yellow Taxi 41.

## Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red 1.45; No. 2 mixed smutty 1.26½. (new) No. 2 mixed 89; No. 5 mixed 81; No. 6 mixed 76; No. 3 yellow 87½ @88½; No. 4 yellow 84½ @87; No. 5 yellow 81½ @84; No. 6 yellow 76½ @80½; No. 3 white 89½; No. 4 white 85½ @86½; No. 5 white 80½ @81½; No. 6 white 75½ @77; sample grade 58 @76½; (old) No. 2 white 94; No. 3

white 90; No. 4 white 89.  
Oats No. 2 white 55½ @57½; No. 3 white 54½ @57½.  
Rye No. 1 1.10½.  
Barley 86 @96.  
Timothy seed 31.00 @3.85.  
Clover seed 21.50 @29.25.  
Lard 11.52.  
Ribs 11.25.  
Bellies 12.75.

## Local Markets

DIXON MILK PRICE  
From Feb. 1 until further notice the Borden company will pay for milk testing 4 per cent butter fat received \$2.35 per hundred pounds for direct ratio.DEPOSITIONS OF  
INSANITY READ  
IN CALIF. CASE

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include the testimony of boyhood companions of the defendant.  
All Relatives "Queer"  
The first depositions offered pointed the grandfather as subject to "fits," the grandmother as frail and given to tears and "talking foolish," the mother, Mrs. E. A. Hickman, as depressed, morose and at one time attempting suicide, and the father, William Thomas Hickman, as "queer." Thomas Lewis, son-in-law of Becky Buck, declared in his deposition that "the old lady's mind was awful weak" while anything "flustered" Mrs. Hickman.

Mrs. Argie Smith of Cameron, Okla., sister-in-law of Hickman's mother, told in a deposition of the "queerness" of Mrs. Hickman. At one time, she said, William, the father, awoke to find his wife standing over him with a butcher knife in her hands.

"LONE EAGLE" IS  
ON HIS TRIP TO  
ST. THOMAS NOW

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American marines are fighting in Nicaragua.

FLYING SOUTHWARD  
Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Rogers Humphreys, Bloomington business man and World War aviator, hopped off the Bloomington airport at 10 a. m. for a one-stop flight to Pass Christian, Miss. He was accompanied by Basil Simms, relief pilot. They intended to stop at Memphis, Tenn., for fuel.FLIVVER PLANE OFF  
Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—Harry J. Brooks, piloting the Ford flivver monoplane, took off from the naval air station field this morning at 8:55 a. m. for Detroit. He expected to make the trip in one hop in about 5½ hours.PLAN WORLD FLIGHT  
Cleveland, Jan. 31—(AP)—Brent Balchen, pilot for Commander Richard E. Byrd on the trans-Atlantic flight of the "America," today announced that he would attempt an around the world flight next summer, and named John Henry Mears as his companion for the flight.  
Present plans call for the world flight attempt in June over a route that would require one month or less. Exact routes have not yet been selected, but Balchen firmly believes he will be able to circle the globe in one month. Mears went around the world fourteen years ago in 35 days. Balchen said, and hopes to cut that record down considerably.Mendota Kiwanians  
Visitors in DixonAbout 30 members of the Mendota Kiwanis club motored to Dixon this noon and joined with the Dixon club in the first of a series of inter-club meetings which are scheduled for the season. After the luncheon, the meeting was turned over to President Spencer Moss of the visiting club.  
The Mendota club provided a program which was opened with two piano solos by E. G. Feik, who was made a member of the Kiwanis organization at this meeting. Prof. A. E. Hardy of the Mendota public schools, proved an exceptional entertainer, opening with a mandolin and mouth organ sketch, "The Dutchman's Serenade." He responded to encores with readings. Dr. Hughes of the inter-club relations committee of the visiting club extended an invitation for the local Kiwanians to meet with Mendota at a noon meeting in that city, Monday noon, March 5th, which was unanimously accepted. Robert Hallenberg of the local inter-club relations committee gave a short talk and Dr. Raymond Worsley entertained with a pianologue.

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## Local Briefs

Miss Esther F. Meyer of Amboy was a Dixon visitor Monday afternoon.

Miss Aileen Carlson spent the week end in Rockford with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Graybill and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Carter spent Monday at the auto show in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herwig of near Ashton were callers in Dixon last evening.

John Becker of Sublette transacted business in Dixon last evening.

George Schumacher of Franklin Grove was a Dixon caller yesterday afternoon.

Robert Crawford of Franklin Grove was a Dixon visitor yesterday.

Attorney Fred Gardner of Rochelle transacted business here yesterday afternoon.

Take out one of the Telegraph's Insurance Policies, price one dollar. This policy insures against accident.

Ralph Bowers of Mt. Carroll was in Dixon Monday transacting business.

Wilbur R. Smith of Amboy shot a large dark grey timber wolf on his farm Saturday morning.

E. M. Goodsell made a business trip to Harmon Monday.

Miss Laura Fisher and Miss Mabel Smith attended the Kreisel concert in Rockford Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nett and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephan motored to Rockford Saturday and attended the Kreisel concert held at the Masonic Temple in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mynard of Lee Center were callers in Dixon yesterday.

D. S. Grow made a business trip to Rockford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winsell of Sterling spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Suter.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gannon motored to DeKalb Sunday where Mr. Gannon made an address before the K. C.'s of that city.

Elwin Bunnell made a business trip to Ashton yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Pollock of Mt. Morris was a shopper in Dixon yesterday.

Floyd E. Moore of Racine, Wisconsin called on local merchants Monday.

J. L. Richardson of Amboy transacted business in Dixon Monday.

Mrs. Kathryn Beard is in Chicago for several days transacting business.

John J. Hass of Amboy was a business caller in Dixon yesterday.

Opal Diehle of Mt. Morris transacted business in Dixon Saturday.

George Murray and Roy Webb motored to Freeport Monday to transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chiverton and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Campbell motored to Polo Sunday evening to call on friends.

H. A. Roe spent the week-end in Chicago with his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Berg of Evanston.

Mark C. Williams of Palmyra was a caller in Dixon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moore spent Sunday in Belvidere with friends.

Glenn Anderson of Oregon spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Chester Barriague and Willard Bunnell are spending a few days in Chicago attending the automobile show.

Merton Squires has returned home from several weeks motor trip through the east and into Florida.

Eugene Cahill spent the week-end in Chicago with friends.

Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Peters of Mt. Morris were callers in Dixon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Harris spent Sunday in Sterling as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hoffman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Barriague spent the week-end in Janesville, Wisconsin, with the former's parents.

Atty. E. H. Brewster spent Saturday in Chicago transacting business.

Mrs. James Loan, who is a patient at the Dixon hospital, is improving nicely. Leo Loan, her son, is here from Chicago to see his mother.

Mrs. James Mead of Amboy was a Dixon visitor Monday.

Editor Stuart Pettigrew of Amboy was a Dixon business caller yesterday afternoon.

A bunch of keys Saturday evening. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.

BETTER BARRACKS  
FOR SOLDIERS TO  
BE PROVIDED FORAppropriation Measure  
Presented to House  
Today

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—Carrying a total of \$99,000,000, including \$80,433,000 for non-military activities, the annual Army appropriation bill was reported to the House today by its Appropriations committee.

The amount represents an increase of \$3,654,000 over current funds, but a decrease of \$494,000 under the budget estimates.

The committee said that after a "careful study into the foundation of published reports," it had found that "defect" existed in the nation's ammunition reserve, but not in an alarming amount. It asked that \$7,393,000 be used for procurement of ammunition next year and said the War Department plans to present a program for 1930 looking to the gradual elimination of the existing deficit.

Of the total non-military allotment, \$50,000,000 was made available in a lump sum for the carrying out of existing river and harbor projects.

Army of 118,750 Men.  
Continuance during the next fiscal year of an army of 118,750 men, including 1,248 men to be absorbed into the Air Corps under the five year aviation program, also was provided.

The appropriation for the Air Corps amounted to \$24,850,000, plus a contract authorization of \$5,000,000. The committee said that in total number of planes the second increment of the five-year program will be more than met at the end of the year.

The bill "proposes to appropriate \$4,874,000 in cash" towards new construction at military posts, and also provides for contracts involving an additional \$2,115,000.

The committee said that funds for nations contemplated placing the Army on an equal basis with the Navy and Marine Corps. It quoted Major General Charles P. Summerall, Army Chief of Staff, as saying that the increase for subsistence is the "finest contribution to the Army since I have been in it."

The primary needs of the army were set forth as continuation of the housing program, larger outlays for maintenance and repair, carrying on the five-year air program, checking further retrogression in the ammunition reserve, proceeding with approved sea coast defense projects within and without the continental limits of the United States, and continuing experimental and development work in all branches.

A National Guard strength of 188,000 men, with 18 squadrons for the guard air service was provided, as well as 15-day camp training for 15-125 officers of the organized reserves, or 1,257 less than provided for this year.

Other provisions called for \$180,938 for the training of a national cadet corps of 250 university students who would be instructed before and after graduation with a view of speeding up production in time of war; \$888,500 for completing tests of new field weapons, and civilian training camps to care for 33,000 men.

Funds for new construction at military posts included Scott Field, Ill., barracks \$100,000.

Cosgrave's Last Day  
of Visit in Canada  
Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 31—(AP)—Welcomed as the representative of the youngest of the British Dominions, William T. Cosgrave, head of the Irish Free State, had a light program today, his last at Canada's capital.

Seemingly none the worse for the derailment of his train yesterday, in which one man was killed, he had only a luncheon engagement before entraining for New York via Montreal at 3:30 this afternoon.

He aided in the work of rescue when his train jumped a switch at Limoges, about 23 miles from Ottawa, while making 55 miles an hour. He aided in extricating the injured and sent a telegram of condolence to the family of J. A. Boyd, of Montreal, who died at the throttle of the presidential train. His private car left the rails but did not overturn and no member of his party was injured.

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Women of refinement are particularly in regard to their stationery. We have a beautiful line for your inspection. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. If

Write to the county treasurer of Sawyer County at Hayward, Wis., and find out what the taxes are on your Dixon Beach lots. Do it now.

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Auctioneer  
Dixon, Ill.  
Tel. X1152FELL TO HIS DEATH  
Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—A man about 50 years old jumped or fell to his death from a twentieth floor window of the Mallers building in South Wabash avenue today, his body striking a wagon in an alley.IMPORTANT.  
Become a reader of the Dixon Telegraph and procure one of our Accident Insurance Policies for \$1.00 which insures you for \$1000. In case of death you receive the above amount. If injured you receive weekly payments. No one can afford to be without this wonderful policy. You may be injured in an auto accident tomorrow. Call today No. 5 or 4.

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Rochelle Hunters in  
Toils for Trespass

State Supervisor of Fish and Game Fred Kersten of Ashton yesterday arrested four residents of Rochelle, who were hunting on the E. J. Austin farm southwest of Rochelle. Farm owners have been complaining bitterly for some weeks of hunters trespassing upon posted farms and indiscriminate shooting among herds of cattle.

The flurry of snow Saturday night brought out a field of hunters Sunday morning and according to the complaints, warning signs were shot down and hunters invaded posted ground in large numbers. Supervisor Kersten took three of these in custody on the Austin farm and escorted them to Rochelle where charges of trespass were preferred against the trio in the court of Judge George O'Brien. While the papers were being made out the fourth member of the party entered and scoffed at his companions for not running away from the officer. The quartet, James Cronk, who arrived at the opportunity, Harry Rathburn, Sherman Cronk and Kenneth Miller, were fined \$15 and costs each by Judge O'Brien on charges of trespass sworn out by the irate farmer.

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Consider River Fund  
Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—The prediction that it will take eight or nine years to complete existing river and harbor projects upon the basis of a \$50,000,000 annual expenditure was made today by the House Appropriations committee in reporting the army appropriation bill.

The committee said it had heard many witnesses interested in improvement of navigation on the Missouri river between Kansas City and the river's mouth. The amount required for this project is estimated at \$6,340,000.

"This figure is subject to revision but it is the latest available," the committee said. "The Chief of Engineers has indicated his wish to push this project to completion and stated that the allotment may be as much as \$3,000,000."

The committee said that despite use of nearly \$187,000,000 in protective measures since the Mississippi River Commission was created in 1879, the 1927 flood demonstrated that much more work must be done. It pointed out that the fifth allotment of \$10,000,000 under the 1923 act was provided in the bill reported today.

Grain Exports Large  
Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—Grain exports last week from the United States were 2,202,000 bushels as compared with 2,027,000 bushels the week before.

Commerce department figures today gave the following comparisons between last week's exports and those of the previous week: wheat 1,500,000 bushels against 1,427,000; rye 40,000 against 46,000; oats 104,000 against 124,000; corn 367,000 against 257,000; barley 191,000 against 173,000.

Canadian grains exported through United States ports amounted to 3,188,000 bushels against 2,184,000 the previous week, while exports of North American wheat flour were 232,000 barrels against 148,000.

Meeting at Nachusa  
A joint meeting of the Nachusa Shippers Assn. and the Nachusa Farm Bureau Club, to which all interested are invited, will be held at the Nachusa church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. An address by G. C. Trosby, butcher salesman of the Chicago Producers Assn., and moving pictures will be features of the meeting.CHICKEN SUPPER  
by W. F. M. of Eldena in church basement, Thursday evening, Feb. 2, served from 5 o'clock until are served. Adults 50c, children 35c. 25c3BOX SOCIAL  
Dues school on Dutch road Friday, Feb. 3rd. Program at 8 o'clock. Please bring boxes. 25c3

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Insurance in all its branches. Better have automobile insurance and not need it, than to need it and not have it. J. F. HALEY, 107 Galena Ave., Dixon. Phone No. 73.INDIANAPOLIS'  
MAYORALTY IS  
AGAIN ISSUETwo Republicans Seek  
to Oust Democrat:  
Council Reigns

Indianapolis, Jan. 31—(AP)—A detail of police and detectives were assigned to guard the office of L. Ert Slack, democrat, who sought to continue to hold office as mayor of Indianapolis today, while each of two republican claimants tried to oust him and assume the position himself. They are Ira M. Holmes and Joseph L. Hogue.

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Denies Withdrawal  
of Frank O. Lowden  
Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Omar Custer of Galesburg, former State Treasurer, denied today that closing of Lowden headquarters in New York might be interpreted as withdrawal from the race.

"You can most emphatically deny that there has been any cessation in activities which are under way in behalf of former Governor Lowden as a presidential candidate," he said.

When asked specifically about the New York headquarters and the fact that the former State Senator Clarence A. Buck of Monmouth, one of Lowden's campaign managers, had gone to New York last Saturday, Mr. Custer who is in the fore-front of the Lowden campaign said:

"There has been no withdrawal in behalf of Vice President Dawes nor no official headquarters have been opened in any city except Chicago. So-called headquarters in New York were opened unofficially by individuals and there is no significance to the fact that they may have been closed."

Lee Co. Shippers  
Help Break Record  
Lee county livestock shippers had a part in the Chicago Producers' Association breaking all records of the Chicago stock yards during the week of Jan. 28, when that co-operative association handled 537 carloads of livestock. The records of the yards showed that the association, which is sponsored by the farm bureaus of the state, handled 10.7 percent of the total business done in the yards that week. Lee county shippers' association and individuals contributed 23 carloads of livestock to the grand total, as follows:

Lee Co. Assn., 4 carloads; Paw Paw Assn., 5; Nachusa Assn., 3 from Nachusa and 2 from Dixon, Franklin Grove Assn., 1; Ashton Assn., 1; Robert Mullins, Lee, 2; G. Krehn, Roxbury, 1; H. L. Rhodes &amp; Son, Roxbury, 1; Fred Gilmore, Compton, 1; Don Gilmore, Compton, 1; Miller &amp; Hoban, Nachusa, 1.

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# PAGE for WOMEN

## SOCIETY NEWS

### Calendar of Coming Events

**Tuesday**  
Baldwin Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.  
Golden Rule—Miss Marian Dimon, 1714 W. First street.  
Practical Club—Mrs. C. A. Mellett, 121 E. Second St.

**Wednesday**  
L. O. O. M.—Moose Hall.  
Ideo Club—Miss Elizabeth Hiller, 109 East Chamberlain street.  
St. James Aid Society—Mrs. Wilbur Hutchinson, Route 2.  
King's Daughters—Sunday school class—Mrs. C. A. Garrison, 608 East Chamberlain St.  
American Legion Auxiliary—Legion Hall.  
Musical—K. C. Club Rooms, 8:30 o'clock.  
Benson Club—K. C. Club Home, 8 o'clock.

**Thursday**  
Mass meeting Dixon women—Council rooms.  
Ladies' Auxiliary—Miss Grace Crawford, 322 E. Third St.  
E. R. B. Class—St. Paul's Lutheran church.  
Rebekah Social Club—L. O. O. F. Hall.  
City Altz Club—Mr. and Mrs. Verne Tennant, 315 N. Ottawa Avenue.  
Ladies' Aid, Immanuel Lutheran church—At church.  
Altar and Rosary Society—Knights of Columbus Club House.  
W. M. S. Kingdom Church—Mrs. John Bachman, R. F. D. 4.  
W. F. M. S. of the Methodist church—Mrs. J. W. Watts, 605 N. Ottawa Avenue.  
Ladies Aid Society—St. Paul's Lutheran church.

**Saturday**  
D. A. R.—Mrs. S. C. Burnham, 233 W. Everett St.

### OLD MASTERS

**DON'T EVER QUIT**  
When things go wrong, as they sometimes will,  
When the road you're drudging seems all up hill,  
When the funds are low and the debts are high,  
When you want to smile, but you have to sigh,  
When care is pressing you down a bit—  
Rest if you want—but don't ever quit.

Success is failure turned inside out  
The silver tint of the clouds of doubt,  
You never can tell how close you are  
It may be near when it seems afar,  
So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit—  
It's when things seem worst that you mustn't quit.

### Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf Were Surprised

A very pleasant surprise was tendered Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf Saturday evening at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Curran of Nachusa. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf were invited to spend the evening with two friends of the Curran family, when at the appointed hour a party of over thirty friends gathered and held the surprise in the nature of a shower with many useful gifts of silver, aluminum, and pyrex. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf expressed in a few words their great appreciation and thanks to their friends for their kindness. A delicious luncheon was served during the evening.

### DIXON CHAPTER, D. A. R. TO MEET SATURDAY

The Dixon Chapter of the D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. S. C. Burnham, 233 W. Everett street, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 4th, at 2:30. Silhouette history will be the subject of the paper read by Mrs. Clara Rowe. Any members having silhouettes are requested to take them to the meeting. It is requested that members remember the offering boxes.

### HUSBAND'S BIRTHDAY WAS HONORED

Mrs. Ed Franks delightfully entertained a few friends at dinner Monday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of her husband. Cards and radio music were afterwards enjoyed.

### W. M. S. KINGDOM CHURCH TO MEET

The W. M. S. of the Kingdom church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Bachman, R. F. D. 4.

### ATTENDED CONFETTI BALL SATURDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Olive Maronde, of Franklin Grove, and family attended the Confetti ball at the Moose hall Saturday evening in Dixon.

### Life's Niceties

#### HINTS ON ETIQUET

1 After a late evening party, when refreshments are served at the close, which should rise from the supper table first, your hostess or you?

2 If she lingers and you are in a hurry, what can you do?

3 What should she do then?

#### The Answers

1. Hostess.  
2. Apologize, quietly, and explain your haste.  
3. Rise immediately and help you make your departure promptly.

### MENU for the FAMILY

**BY SISTER MARY**  
BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, French toast, syrup, milk, coffee.  
LUNCHEON—Shrimps in tomato sauce, cucumber and lettuce salad, Swedish rolls, apple Indian pudding, milk, tea.

**DINNER**—Pan-broiled sirloin steak, French fried potatoes, creamed cauliflower, stuffed prune salad, brain rolls, canned strawberries, plain cake, milk, coffee.  
Shrimps in tomato sauce would be nice to serve to your bridge club. Accompany the shrimps with celery hearts, olives and tiny pickles and serve a fruit sherbet or ice with sponge cake for dessert.

**Shrimps in Tomato Sauce**  
One cup canned shrimps, 1 cup hot boiled rice, 1 cup cream, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon flour, 1 teaspoon minced onion, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 cup tomato catsup, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 6 triangles toast, parsley.  
Break shrimps in pieces. Melt butter, add onion and cook over a low fire for five minutes. Sift over flour and stir until thoroughly blended. Add shrimps, rice and cream and stir lightly with a fork. Make very hot and add salt, catsup and pepper. Serve on triangles of hot toast and garnish with sprigs of parsley.  
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### Farewell Party at C. P. Henkel Home

Thursday evening about 50 of the members of the Catholic Daughters of America and their husbands gathered at the C. P. Henkel home and completely surprised Mrs. Henkel, also a member of the C. D. of A. The party was a farewell as Mr. and Mrs. Henkel are soon to leave West Brooklyn, going to Harmon to take up farming on the old home place of Mrs. Henkel. The members brought well-filled baskets and card tables and progressive 500 was the feature of the evening.

After the delicious luncheon at midnight the 500 prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. Andrew Gehant first, Mrs. Jacob Michel second and William Glaser third and Rev. Father Quinn second. Ladies high cut was won by Mrs. Gustie Gehant and men's high cut by Alex Gehant. Father Quinn was selected to deliver the farewell address and in behalf of the members of the C. D. of A. presented Mrs. Henkel with a beautiful set of cut glass goblets. Mrs. Henkel in turn thanked all members present for the gift and also for the great surprise they had planned so skillfully.

Everyone present had an enjoyable time and departed at a late hour wishing both Mr. and Mrs. Henkel success and happiness in their new home at Harmon.

### Women Meet in Behalf Dry Law

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Bent on solidifying the phalanx of women voters in behalf of the dry cause at the 1928 elections, national and mid-western leaders of the Women's Christian Temperance Union met here today for a two day conference. Gathered around the council table with the national officers were state W. C. T. U. presidents from Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio and Wisconsin and representatives of a half dozen women's political, religious and law enforcement bodies. Promotion of the advancement of law observance and enforcement were put forward as the aims of the conference by Mrs. Ella A. Boole, National W. C. T. U. President, as she opened the presidential year crusade in the middle west.

Nullification of the liquor laws by a wet judiciary and wet enforcement officers was pointed out as a peril that might follow election of a wet to the presidency by Mrs. Margaret C. Munns, national treasurer.

### Sterling Ladies Leave On European Trip

Mrs. W. M. Dillon of Sterling, and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Dillon Eschman of Lancaster, Pa., and Miss Crete Dillon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dillon of Sterling, left Monday morning for a tour of two months in Europe.

They will sail from New York Wednesday on the S. S. George Washington for Cherbourg, France, and will go from there to Paris. They will spend part of the winter in the winter resorts of the French and Italian Riviera and will also travel in Spain before going to Switzerland. They will plan their trip as they go, accommodating their stay in different places to their convenience and had not decided fully upon their itinerary when they left. Mrs. Eschman has traveled extensively in Europe and her experience enables her to choose routes and places with full knowledge of the conditions.

### MEET THIS EVENING TO RECITE THE ROSARY

Members of the Altar & Rosary Society of St. Patrick's Catholic church will meet at the home of the late Mrs. Mary Lally, a deceased member, at 7:30 o'clock this evening to recite the Rosary.

### BRIDGE ME ANOTHER

BY W. W. WENTWORTH

(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1. What do you bid initially on spades—K 10 X X X X X X; hearts—X X; diamonds—Q; clubs—J K?  
2. Declarer bids one no-trump. All pass. Dummy holds A Q 10. Declarer holds X X; what should declarer play when opponent leads small card through dummy?  
3. What is meant by a "Bridge Hog"?

#### The Answers

1. Pass.  
2. 10.  
3. One who hogs all bids and ignores the partnership element.  
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### Happily Entertained At M. Finn Home

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Finn of Walton delightfully entertained one hundred and fifty relatives and friends at their home Monday evening. The evening was spent in cards and dancing for which Will Gugerty and George Healy furnished the music. At midnight a delicious luncheon was served and at a late hour the merry crowd departed for their homes. Mr. and Mrs. Finn and daughter Mary, royal entertainers.

### IRREGULAR HEMLINES START DIZZY VOGUE

Paris—(AP)—Milliners have caught the zig-zags from which dressmakers the suffering and which manifest themselves in things like irregular hemlines and horizontal line.

New hats with brims as irregular as dress-hems are having a big success. One of the newest felt hats has a plain short brim like a cloche at the left side while the right side droops far below the right ear and is full and wavy.

Veils that are worn diagonally across the face show further effects of the influence.

### FEBRUARY MEETING OF W. M. S.

The February meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will be held with Mrs. J. W. Watts, 605 North Ottawa Avenue, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 2nd, at 2:30. Each lady is requested to take to the meeting a current Missionary item.

### MUSICAL SPONSORED BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The musicale to be given at the Knights of Columbus club rooms Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, will be sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, and all members of the parish and friends are urged to attend.

### MISS EATON RETURNS TO IOWA FOR SEASON

Miss Bess Eaton came out from Chicago last evening and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sipe. She will leave for Webster City, Ia., where she will have charge of a millinery store during the coming season.

### ARE LEAVING TODAY FOR CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. T. Little are leaving today for California to escape the rigors of the Illinois winter and to enjoy the balmy Californian weather.

### BENSON CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY EVENING

The Benson club will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the K. C. club home, preceding the musicale to be sponsored by the K. C.

### ENTERTAINED AT CHOP SUEY SUPPER SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. William Mondblock entertained Mr. and Mrs. James E. Betow at a chop suey supper Sunday evening.

### CHICKEN SUPPER TO BE SERVED

Chicken supper by W. F. M. of Eldena in church basement, Thursday evening, Feb. 2. Serving will start at 5 o'clock.

### PARISIAN CREATIONS FOR WORKING WOMEN

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(Additional Society on page 2)

### NEWS CHURCHES

#### BOYNTON CAMPAIGN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Last night Dr. Boynton was with us again and spoke on "Respectable Sinners." His text was Luke fourteen, verse sixteen. We had the pleasure of having deputations from the Sterling and Freeport Baptist Churches with us. The Rev. B. H. Cleaver of the Christian church led in prayer, and the Rev. Irving Fox of Freeport closed in prayer. Mrs. I. B. Potter sang a charming solo which was very much appreciated. Deacon George McWhitney and son Tom sang to us "The City Unseen." A very interested audience listened to the Doctor's message with deep interest. We were pleased to see the Rev. J. G. Little of Sterling in the audience.

He said: "This story has nothing strained or unusual in it. It is simply a picture of Eastern life as it is and as it was. It shows how it is possible to miss the supreme values by just jolling along in careless indifference to the claims of religion. The King had sent out his invitation to the favored guests and they all with one consent began to make excuse. One had a land obligation and made that the excuse for his refusal. Another wanted to test his property, a yoke of oxen and said, 'I cannot come.' Another man's wife prevented him from coming. These people did not take the invitation seriously. They looked upon everything else being more important than religion. They were conventional and respectable people who were careless and indifferent to the claims of religion. 'We appreciate your invitation and we'll come if we can.'

"When the King saw that his invitation was slighted he was angry and said to his servants, 'Go ye out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come in.' And they went out and brought in the poor, the halt, and the maimed, and the blind, 'that my house may be filled.' That a wonderful thing for these poor sorrowing people to be invited to the Palace. Some held back in reluctance, not believing that they were well enough dressed but they were reassured by the messengers and when they came to the Palace they discovered that every provision had been made for them in the way of dress and footwear, and cleansing. Like doctors the Master is always helping those who need his aid. One sometimes wonders how doctors and undertakers can keep so cheerful in all their contacts with the sick and the suffering and with death itself. You remember the undertaker who advertised—'I'll bury you for \$65, so why go around half dead. Come and be buried cheaply.'

"Some people make the excuse that they are intellectually too bright for religion. 'We have been all through this sort of thing before. We have the literary history of the Bible. A great deal of it is made up of myths and folk lore. We have made our guesses at religion.' They do not evaluate the great realities. They are quite that marriage and death should have the sanctions of religion and they are very ready to attend church on 'Thanksgiving or some other special occasion just because it is the correct thing.

"Then there is the danger of being caught in the routine until religion becomes a lost art. They have become so absorbed in business or pleasure that they never come to Church. Routine that shuts out Christ, breaks hearts, greys life and permits the soul to die of malnutrition. They become mechanical in everything and leave the Great Feast provided by the King of Kings to go unattended in their search for the world's flitting pleasures. The Lord has given to each of us the Royal

Commission. Let us then go out and search for our fellows that we may bring them to our Father's House."

Tonight at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Boynton will speak on "Sleeping in Church" and we are to be favored by the presence of the Amboy Baptist church orchestra, who are going to provide the music. On Wednesday night at 6 p. m. scramble supper in the basement when the Doctor will speak to us on "How the Unified Budget Works in Woodlawn." Bring your own sandwiches, dishes, silver and an extra dish. Come along to night and hear this famous preacher while he is still with us.

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### Lodge News

#### ADDRESSED GYROS

B. J. Frazer was the guest of the Gyro club last evening and addressed the members on "Literature."

#### BOTT'S HEADS SNAIX

Charles Bott of this city was elected Gyro of the Casabel Lair, Military Order of Snaix at the meeting held in Freeport Sunday afternoon, which was attended by a number of

Dixon members. Other officers elected were: Datta—David King; Trustees—Maj. Cushing, John Kinder, Fred Frederickson and John Cushman. The next meeting of the Lair will be held in Dixon April 29.

Put your savings in the Dixon Loan & Building Association. Begin with one share if you can't afford more. This will cost but 50 cents per month. See H. U. Bardwell.

Public social service is costing England about \$5,000,000 per day, as against a little over one-half million before the war.

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## CITIES WITHOUT WIRES SEEN BY RADIO ENGINEER

Visionary Scientists  
Dream of Sending  
Power by Radio

BY ISRAEL KLEIN

Radio Editor, NEA Service

The electric lines that clutter up the American landscape and mar the beauty of our cities may come down within the next generation, to be replaced by invisible radio waves carrying power, conversation and even scenes of events to all corners of the earth.

Far-fetched as this thought might seem, it is seriously considered by great electrical scientists and has in fact got its start by actual experimental results obtained in our laboratories.

Light has already been transmitted over a short distance by radio. A torpedo shot from a submarine can be controlled in its direction by radio, the invention of the noted engineer, John Hays Hammond, Jr.

The U. S. Air Service has succeeded in controlling the movements of an automobile by radio. A naval vessel on high seas has been directed by radio.

Tests Prove Possibility

So visionary scientists see farther ahead when high powers, even greater than 220,000 volts transmitted today by our power lines, will be shot through the air along radio waves.

They base their hopes on successful experiments performed by some of the greatest in their profession. Nikola Tesla, the great pioneer in such a venture; Dr. Phillips Thomas, of the Westinghouse laboratories in East Pittsburgh, Pa.; Dr. Harvey C. Rentschler, of the Westinghouse lamp works in Bloomfield, N. J., and Marconi, the famous Italian radio genius.

Dr. Tesla, as far back as 1899, conceived of a huge tower that would transmit power without wires by merely shooting its tremendous energy through the air. He built such a tower on Long Island, N. Y., for further experimentation and found that the electric energy it emitted traveled all the way around the earth, but lost little of its intensity.

Minute Energy, Tiny Waves

This tower was dismantled at the beginning of the war, but Tesla expects to put up another at Niagara Falls, getting the original energy for the power from his plant from the waterfalls.

Dr. Thomas has been working with minute fractions of energy and with tiny radio waves in his East Pittsburgh, Pa., laboratory. His first great achievement was a microphone that would pick up such slight energy as that created by the heart beat of a butterfly. His latest work is the invention of a radio power transmitter, which could be actuated by the mere passing of a shadow before an extremely sensitive tube.

Dr. Thomas points out that radio waves, like those used in broadcasting but much shorter, can be reflected from metal mirrors, just as light is reflected. The shorter the waves, the easier would be the possibility of reflecting them, but power would be so much more difficult to transmit by them.

Present Cost Too High

Dr. J. H. Dellinger, head of the radio laboratory of the U. S. Bureau of standards, believes the cost would reach into the billions for one power station alone. But the future may find a way to build them at reasonable expense.

Dr. Rentschler has succeeded in devising a radio furnace that concentrates power directed to it, builds it up in a vacuum and is able to create such tremendous heat as to fuse metals heretofore believed infusible.

Let such a concentrated ray escape and death and destruction would follow in its wake.

As yet, however, all this is being done on a small laboratory scale. But the scientists concerned in these experiments believe that this is the start of what may eventually be wireless cities, in power as well as in voice and signals.

## ILLINOIS QUIZZES

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

1. When was the first vote for governor taken in Illinois?
2. Who was elected and how many votes were cast?
3. When was the Illinois State Horticultural Society created?
4. What steamboat first ascended the Mississippi above Cairo?
5. Who developed the McKinley-Adkins bill plan now before Congress as a farm relief measure?

ANSWERS


1. 1818.
2. Shadrach Bond, a democrat, was elected with opposition.
3. March, 1874.
4. The "General Pike" in August, 1817.
5. Dr. C. L. Stewart, economist at the University of Illinois.

A LEAP YEAR DUEL

Pillsburycesvar — Leap year was ushered into this town with a duel between two young maidens who had matrimonial designs on the same man. Louise Fazekas met her rival on one of the main thoroughfares. When they could not agree as to which should have the man of their choice they drew penknives and proceeded to slash away in such a convincing manner that the crowd had difficulty in stopping the combat. They were hustled off to different physicians for repairs.

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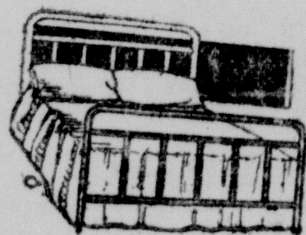
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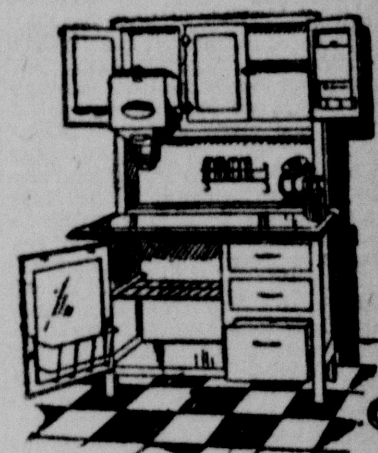
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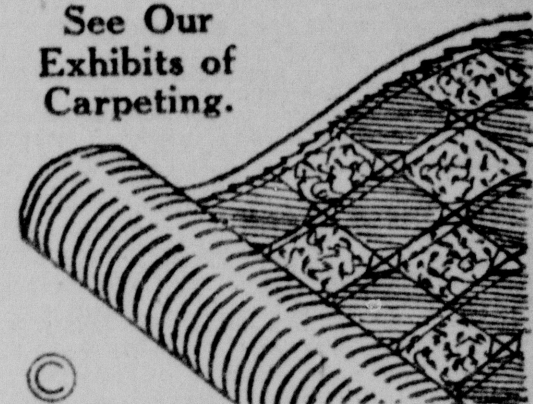


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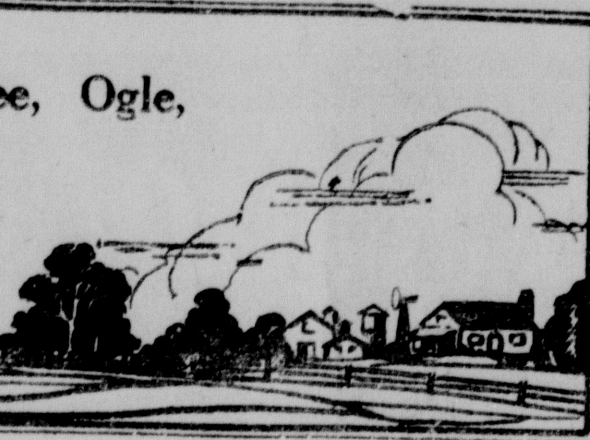
DIXON, ILLINOIS





## AGRICULTURAL NEWS of Lee, Ogle, Bureau Counties

SEND IN YOUR ITEMS



### OGLE DELEGATES TO STATE MEET WELL PLEASED

Declare Sessions of I. A. A.  
Were the Best in  
Its History

Delegates from Ogle County Farm Bureau to the Thirteenth Annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural Association Rock Island returned with very favorable reports of the meeting. It was, they said, the best meeting both in number of attendance and in enthusiasm for the accomplishments and the future plans of the Association of any I. A. A. meeting they had ever attended. Those who attended the meeting from Ogle County were Robert Copenhaver, Polo, O. B. Schelling, Leaf River, J. E. Myers, Oregon, the three official delegates and also President Elmer Vietmeier, Forreston, W. H. Davis and W. F. Schreiber of Leaf River and the Farm Adviser.

The hotels of Rock Island, Moline and Davenport were filled with the guests attending the state meeting and the luncheon that was held in the dining hall of the Federal Arsenal taxed the full capacity of the hall, which, it is said, accommodates 1800 people.

President Sam Thompson of the American Farm Bureau Federation, in his address, spoke of the forty-acre audience and was very much impressed by the enthusiasm of the crowd as they all arose to cheer him when he began his talk. He made the statement that he believed agriculture was at the dawn of a more prosperous condition and was much encouraged as he looked into the faces of the audience who stood firmly by his support in the work of the great organization.

In regard to farm legislation the I. A. A. and A. F. B. F. are standing firmly for the McNary-Haugen bill and are working hard to get it passed in Congress this year. In this matter they were promised the support of the Federation of Labor and the Illinois Bankers Association.

President Earl Smith, of the Illinois Agricultural Association, in his annual report said, "It is especially gratifying to report receiving the highest percentage of membership dues in the history of the Association and we closed the year with an increased membership of approximately 4000. We are on the map practically 60,000 strong, our forces intact, our morale never better and our courage undimmed as we face the future."

Among the many achievements of the I. A. A. during the past year were reported a reduction of tax valuation of farm lands which for 1927 alone will make possible a saving to farmers of four million dollars; the collection of railroad claims amounting to \$25,500; representation before the State and Interstate Commerce Commissions which in one instance alone prevented a freight rate increase which would have amounted to fifteen million dollars annually.

There was reported the promotion of cooperative selling of live stock, fruits, vegetables and dairy products; the handling of 35,606,000 c. c. of anti-hog cholera serum and virus saving to the users \$250,000; auditing and advisory business service furnished to 224 cooperative organizations.

The amount of business done through the Mutual Reinsurance Company was \$2,058,655 fire insurance; \$3,980,000 farm crop hail insurance and \$556,237 fruit and garden truck hail insurance.

The Illinois Farm Supply Company purchased 440 carloads of petroleum products making patronage refund to the consumers of \$48,000.

The Mutual Automobile Insurance for Farm Bureau members established during the year now shows more than 6,500 policies in force and assets of more than \$125,000 and additional protection offered this year.

### The Farm Week in Washington

BY FRANK L. WELER

(Associated Press Farm Editor)

Washington—(AP)—Breeding for weeks, the break in the McNary-Haugen ranks has left the farm relief situation open for a number of developments.

The National Grange has found opportunity to advance its export de-benture bill, perched for six years on the edge of the arena. The Aswell surplus control bill and several others hitherto crowded from the spotlight may be hurled into the fray. Among the possibilities is the drawing back into camp of the McNary-Haugen ruinaways.

Growing indication that friends of the McNary-Haugen equalization fee could not keep their strength intact has been a signal for alertness by friends of every other farm relief project. National Grange officers and the executive council were in Washington when Representative Williams, republican, Illinois, joined by five Kansans, led the exodus from Haugen's camp in the house committee on agriculture. Louis J. Tabor, national master of the Grange, seized the chance to corral support for the

de-benture plan, which he says is virtually assured of a hearing on its merits.

Representative Aswell, democrat, Louisiana, ranking minority member of the house agricultural committee, insists the de-benture bill cannot be passed. Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, chairman of the senate committee on agriculture, said at the beginning of congress that he was willing to give the issue a chance but that he was certain it could make no headway. Senator Caraway, democrat, Arkansas, is quoted as favorable to the de-benture plan and Representative Jones, democrat, Texas, already has embodied the de-benture idea in a bill.

Tabor has indicated the real Grange bill is to be introduced from still other sources.

Those who have been successful in beating down the McNary-Haugen strength in the house committee have charged openly that members who hold out for the equalization fee will be personally responsible for a second failure to enact a relief measure. The fee principle was held unconstitutional by the attorney general when congress passed the original McNary-Haugen bill, and on that score principally the measure was vetoed by the administration.

Others, sincerely committed to the theory that crops should bear the expense of their own surplus removal, are willing to surrender the fee if in doing so they will assist a bill that can become a law. They are demanding a program that includes all the rest of the McNary-Haugen machinery. There have been repeated predictions that whatever legislation goes to the floor for debate will bear the signature of the two men whose names are linked indelibly with farm relief, even though the equalization fee be deleted.

McNary-Haugen wheelhorses will not admit that the new break is serious. A number of those who withdrew support of the equalization fee let it be known they would fight in the house for any relief bill that the McNary-Haugen group sees an opportunity to send the house a report on the fee and win back its lost legions.

### Valuable Hints for Farmers and Their Good Wives

When using figured curtains in a room, choose a material with a background the same color as the walls but slightly darker. The principal design in the curtain material should repeat the color of the rug, or upholstery. Use figured curtains only when the walls give a plain effect.

As a variation of the familiar combination known as Hawaiian or Honolulu salad—a ring of canned pineapple with cream cheese on a bed of lettuce—put the cream cheese through a potato ricer and drop it on the pineapple. Season with salt and a little paprika pepper.

Another suggestion is to mix the cream cheese with chopped nutmeg, green pepper or pimento, and form it into balls or roll balls of cheese in finely chopped pineapple mixed with one or another of these garnishes. cheese makes an excellent spread for sandwiches or for toasted bread or crackers for afternoon tea.

It takes skill to put a jelly roll together correctly. The basis is sponge cake, baked in a thin sheet. When it is ready to be taken from the oven, spread a piece of waxed paper on the table, sprinkle powdered sugar on it and slip the cake quickly out of the pan, top down on the paper. It is necessary to work rapidly while the cake is still warm. Trim off the outside edges, spread with jelly or preserves, and roll in an outward motion. Wrap the waxed paper securely around the cake and tie it in place until the jelly roll is to be cut.

### Government Needs Many Veterinarians

Washington—(AP)—Dr. John R.

Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry, has appealed to farm boys determined on a professional career to consider seriously the study of veterinary science.

Last year the 12 accredited veterinary colleges graduated only 115 veterinarians, scarcely more than the number of new veterinary appointments needed in the bureau itself. Dr. Mohler called attention to an improving salary scale in the bureau and to the high average age of veterinarians now in the service, which is certain to result in the rapid advancement of competent young men entering the work within the next few years, he said.

Authorities say skilled veterinarians are needed as much today as ever before for while there may be fewer horses, farmers and stockmen are constantly giving more attention to the physical condition of their animals. They need expert help and advice.

### FARMERS OWE MUCH

The agricultural indebtedness taken at the close of 1927 is estimated between 12 and 15 billion dollars.

### CATTLE ON FEED 20 PER CENT OFF IN THIS STATE

Sheep Off 40 Percent a  
Report of the State  
Director Says

Springfield, Ill.—(AP)—Cattle on feed in Illinois have decreased twenty percent in number, and sheep on feed have decreased forty percent, from the figures of this time a year ago.

This announcement was made here today by A. J. Surratt, federal agricultural statistician for the Illinois and Federal Department of Agriculture, following his mid-winter livestock survey.

The scarcity and high price of stocker and feeder cattle, combined with either a shortage or lack of surplus corn above local farm feed requirements, are the chief causes of the slump in cattle feeding," the report said. "The high price of feeder lambs, uncertainty about future sheep prices and unsatisfactory returns from last season's feeding operations were the main factors contributing to the heavy reduction in this season's sheep feeding operations."

Illinois reports show a much larger proportion of light weight cattle and less medium and heavy weights on feed than usual. The general market movement will be later than usual. The report indicates that about 14 percent of Illinois cattle now on feed will be marketed in January; 16 percent in February, 20 percent in March and the balance after April 1st. For sheep, the indicated marketings are about 56 percent of the total numbers on feed for market in January, 23 percent in February and the remainder after March 1st.

A survey of the feeding situation in other states show the number of cattle on feed in the eleven Corn Belt states to be 6 percent smaller than a year ago. All states east of the Missouri river had a smaller number on feed than last year, but there was a considerable increase in numbers on feed in Kansas and Nebraska where the corn crop was unusually large this past year. In western states, the number on feed is about 16 percent less than a year ago. Information from other states also indicates that the average weight of cattle on feed is lighter than usual and the proportion of heavy weight cattle on feed is only about half as large as a year ago. The estimated number on feed January 1, 1928, as a percentage of a year ago from the Corn Belt states are as follows:

Illinois, 80; Ohio, 88; Indiana, 83; Michigan, 85; Wisconsin, 89; Minnesota, 86; Iowa, 85; Missouri, 96; South Dakota, 95; Nebraska, 109; and Kansas, 111.

### Weekly Review of Agriculture by Farmers Paper

Chicago—(AP)—Rising prices for fed steers were halted in the last day or two and an uneven break of 50 cents to \$1 from the mid-January peak ensued, the Prairie Farmer's review of agricultural conditions for the past week, said today. Common medium grades held mostly steady however, while she stock and bulls advanced 15 to 50 cents and stockers and feeders rose to a new high point for the season. Veal calf prices scored an upturn of \$2 to \$2.50 before the break started. Best arrivals at Chicago sold at \$18.75, while his substantially more than such cattle would have brought five or six weeks ago when the top was \$19. Receipts since the first of the year have been the smallest for the corresponding period in a decade.

Average prices of hogs at Chicago has been fluctuating from \$8 to \$8.75 for the last six weeks. This level probably will prove to be the bottom for the winter. Thus far, they have not broken the December low point, although receipts are heavier than at that time. Arrivals at three leading markets have been the heaviest for three years. While consumptive demand for pork has been active, receipts of hogs are so liberal that the prices of products are comparatively soft.

Lighter receipts in the past week caused a slight upturn in lamb prices. Prices seem likely to fluctuate around the present level for the next two or three months.

Wool prices scored further advance during the past 10 days. The small domestic supplies and firmness in foreign markets are the dominating factors. It seems doubtful that the rise in wool prices will be checked until they have gone still further.

For over a month, fluctuations in wheat prices have kept within an unusually narrow range. Nothing has occurred in this period to cause any alarm of either buyer or seller. Primary receipts have fallen off in the past month but exports, too, have been small. Unless the distribution is more rapid there is a possibility

of a liberal carry over next spring.

Corn prices have shown strength in the last week as a result of some improvement in export demand. The quantity sold has been uncertain but it has helped reduce the pressure from the winter movement. Weather conditions have been unfavorable for shelling and delivering corn in the last two weeks, so that the movement has not become excessive but it is running heavier than a year ago. Producers seem willing to sell on small price advances.

Oat prices have been swinging over an extremely narrow range for several weeks. Early prices have been strong with further export sales.

Seedsmen report a gradual expansion in sales of field seeds and a large spring trade is expected to be well under way.

The hay market remained unchanged last week as demand was sufficiently broad to absorb the increased offerings which had been gradually expiring as roads improved.

The fresh egg market has advanced during the past week even in the face of increasing production. The market at present prices, which are the highest at the corresponding time since 1921 with the exception of 1925, is in a sensitive position, and adjustments to larger supplies from this time or may be sudden and drastic.

Increasing supplies of butter at a time when dealers are taking on only enough stock to meet actual demands, resulted in the market working lower last week.

### Gleanings of Farm News From About the State

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Urbana—Soil tests for acidity before making attempts to fertilize land may be the means of saving several hundred dollars to Illinois farmers.

C. M. Linsley, soils extension specialist of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, has cited the instance of an Illinois farmer who was about to place an order for 500 tons of limestone without testing his land. On the suggestion of the University, the land was tested and it was found that only 300 tons of limestone was required, effecting a saving of over \$400.

Pittsfield—Acreage estimated at more than 20,000 acres was donated by farmers of Pike county for a crop last year out of which they obtained no immediate financial return, but which laid the basis of a soil fertility that has yet to fall in producing greatly increased corn and small grain returns, Farm Adviser F. M. Barrett said in a report. The crop was sweet clover, which investigations made at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois show that when plowed under in the fall is unusually effective in producing better grain crops the following year. Only two other countries in the state have ever sowed such an extensive acreage in sweet clover, the report stated.

Carlock—Three carloads of limestone is the prize that has been posted by a bank in McLean county to the farmer of that community who records the most progress in soil improvement and legume growing in 1928. Assuming that it would be more profitable to the farmer to encourage better crop production through offering a necessity of soil fertility rather than a monetary incentive, the bank chose the limestone as its prize.

Freeport—A three hundred percent return on a \$205.02 investment was the paramount reason that "Lady Piebe Oak Homestead," purebred cow on the Rawleigh Ideal Farms was crowned champion in the Illinois 500-pound butterfat club. The cow produced 25,829 pounds of milk and 844.2 pounds of fat to claim the record, despite the fact that she is a small cow weighing only 1,000 pounds. Her milk and fat were worth \$214.73 and it cost \$205.02 to feed her.

Springfield—Three notable farm conventions have been scheduled for February for farmers and farm women of Illinois, who will convene in sessions at Waukegan, Mt. Carmel and Springfield. The conventions to gether with their dates of session follow:

Waukegan—Illinois Farmers Institute and Department of Household Science—Feb. 15 to 17.

Mt. Carmel—National Farm Loan Association—Feb. 3.

Springfield—Illinois Farmers-Grain Dealers Association, Feb. 8-9.

Urbana—Hog production in 1928 will fall below last year's mark, P. E. Johnston of the far morganization and management department, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, has predicted after a survey of 1927 conditions. Basing his forecast on a study concerned with the corn hog ratio. Prof. Johnston found that the ratio has been ten percent below normal, indicating from previous data that 1928 production will probably be approximately eight percent below 1927 figures.

Carthage—A hog production record that is thought by experts at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, to have exceeded any other mark has been established on the

farm of W. S. Feigar, who raised 21,420 pounds of pork on 1,302 bushels of corn and four tons of supplementary feed. Records maintained on the farm showed that six pounds of tankage and meal and a bushel of corn produced 16.5 pounds of pork.

Ottawa—A state-wide, cooperative milk sales program, organized in 1928, would bring Illinois dairymen an eight million dollar increase in the farm value of milk by 1933, A. D. Lynch, dairy marketing director of the Illinois Agricultural Association, told the LaSalle County Farm Bureau in announcing the future plans of his department. "Illinois dairymen market approximately \$84,000,000 yearly in milk and cream," he said. A well-organized industry of all local, county and district milk producers' associations would increase the value of their products at least ten percent in five years, he said.

Springfield—Another proof that farm boys will stay on the farm, if they are scientifically trained in the rudiments of farming, is offered by the state department of vocational education in records from the Washington community high school class in agriculture.

In that school, the teacher of agriculture who has been in the little Woodford community for several years, has compiled, "Occupation statistics" on his graduates and students since 1921. Among other things, these statistics reveal that of the total enrollment of 93 boys in the seven-year period, 66 boys, or 71 percent of that total, now live on farms. This includes those now in high school, graduate students and students who enrolled but did not graduate.

Many graduates, however, have gone on to college, where they may be continuing their study of agriculture. Two are dead. Only 13 of the graduates are not farming, and of the complete enrollment, counting those who have died or are now in college, only 21, or 29 percent, are not now tilling the soil.

Jacksonville—A three-day poultry school sponsored by farm bureaus of this territory with the cooperation of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, will be held here on Feb. 1 to 3.

The school will attempt to give a short course bearing on every feature of poultry raising from incubation and brooding of chickens to a prevention of disease in matured stock. Construction of modern poultry houses will be explained, together with the care required in feeding the average 180-egg flock.

An opportunity for general discussion by the poultry raisers attending the show will be given following each topic in order that the more general points of every subject may be explained.

Oregon—Nearly eighty pounds of milk a day on three-time milkings, with an average butterfat test of 4.61 pounds a day was the unusual record established by a Holstein cow here on the Rock River Farms. The cow gave 114.1 pounds of butterfat during the month test.

Columbus, O.—Nature can better judge the amount of grit needed by chickens in digesting their food, than can the poultryman who attempts to gauge the quantity and put it into the feed, is the conclusion drawn by A. R. Winter of the Poultry Husbandry Department of Ohio State University following a study of the chicken's digestive system.

Farmers used to pound to pieces broken china years ago into very small fragments, scattering them in the poultry yard on the assumption that since chickens had no teeth they must "chew their food in their stomachs" with the aid of sharp-edged fragments, it was explained. "It is now known that the benefit derived from grit is due to the mineral matter dissolved from it and used by the chicken, and not from its aid in the grinding of food in the gizzard," the poultry expert said.

Ottawa—Tuberculosis eradication among livestock herds in LaSalle county is progressing with amazing rapidity, it has been reported by the County Farm Bureau.

Tests conducted in two townships, Groveland and Ophir, revealed that out of more than 1,400 cattle tested, only four reactors were found. A test nearing completion in Osage county has revealed only one reactor, although the work has not yet been entirely completed.

"Veterinarians are receiving splendid cooperation from the herd owners," the bureau report said, "and not a single owner has been compelled to submit his herd for examination."

Morrison—Ten Nebraska farmers that were recently awarded the title of "Master Farmers" started out with an average capital of \$2,000 and today have each increased their report to an average of \$77,000. This amount has been printed by the Lee County Farm Bureau, as an inspiration to Illinois farmers.

"The average accumulation of these men is more than \$75,000," the report said. "Most of them will doubtless increase their accumulations, because no one of them is an old man, and their average age is 54. It is interesting to note that the three oldest men have accumulated the most and the youngest man the least wealth."

CROP VALUE INCREASES

The value of Canada's principal field crops for 1927 is estimated at nearly \$1,150,000,000, representing an increase of about \$36,000,000 over that of 1926.

## FARM WORK "DONE" IN BLACK AND WHITE



Black and white is the prevailing design on the farm of E. W. Kinnaman, at Cassville, Mo., who is shown at lower left. The other photos show how this is carried out in poultry and hogs, above, and in the Dutch Belted prize cow below.

### FARM SALE CALENDAR

Following is a list of farm sales that have been advertised in the Evening Telegraph. The Telegraph will list this "Farm Sale Calendar" each Tuesday on this farm page until the sale date. We also print sale bills and cards from ads.

THURSDAY FEB. 2—Gus Bapst, 2 miles west and 1/4 mile north of Amboy on Sterling road and 2 miles south of Warren Leake's corners on Route 5. Sales to commence at 12 o'clock.

TUESDAY, FEB. 7—Lally Bros., 10 miles south of Dixon on the Pump factory road. Free lunch at 11. Sale thereafter.

TUESDAY, FEB. 14—Ross Emmitt, 6 miles southeast of Sterling and 2 miles west and 2 miles north of Harmon. Sale at 10:30. Lunch at noon.

### Industrious Man is Master Farmer

Manhattan, Ill.—(AP)—Farming 280 acres for seventeen years with only the aid of a single man was one of the paramount reasons the Prairie Farmer bestowed the title of "Master

Farmer" on Wayne McClure of Manhattan.

With the exception of special help in the harvest season, McClure's Scotch ingenuity has enabled him to accomplish a task that might well be regarded as stupendous on many Illinois farms.

McClure's farm is a maze of labor-saving devices, installed to such an extent that it almost runs automatically. Sows farrow only once each year, for McClure has found that it is a profitable method to apply in economizing labor. His livestock is watered and fed by automatic devices. Nine work horses and a tractor enable him to cultivate his acreage with a minimum of labor. At harvest times, McClure uses an automatic corn picker.

Modern barns for the housing of all livestock have made sanitation thorough at a small expense of time. A modern poultry plant has been constructed with the same result.

McClure is a "College farmer," a graduate of the University of Minnesota, and he keeps in close contact with the experiment station of the University of Illinois. A library in his pretentious farm house contains a complete collection of agricultural bulletins and publications, as well as a business record that tells him where his money is going and how expenditures might be reduced.

In planning his crop rotation, he has followed the plan of using a major rotation for crop production

and a smaller acreage in a minor rotation for livestock. In the minor rotation, there are four fields of six acres each, two of which are planted in alfalfa, one in small grain and one in corn. The hogs harvest the corn in fall and feed on the alfalfa fields, the surplus of which is cut for hay.

The major rotation consists of five fields running in size from two 37-acre fields to one of 55 acres. On these he uses a five-year rotation of alfalfa, clover, winter wheat, corn and oats, corn and spring wheat or barley.

### Visible Grain Supply

New York, Jan. 30—(AP)—The visible supply of American grain shows the following changes, in bushels: Wheat decreased 1,267,000. Corn increased 735,000. Oats decreased 38,000. Rye increased 241,000. Barley increased 86,000.

### Was a Good Sale

The Earl Kennedy closing out farm sale at Walton was considered one of the best sales held this winter. Fruit & Powers were the auctioneers and made a great team in sale work. The sale was advertised in The Telegraph.

### FUR FARMS PROFIT

Exclusive of beaver and muskrat ranches, Canada has 2268 fur farms. Property value of these farms is estimated at more than \$13,000,000.

## How the Peoria Life Went Forward in 1927

### INSURANCE ACCOUNT

BUSINESS IN FORCE PAID FOR	\$149,139,485
Net INCREASE 1927 (13%)	17,088,327
New Business PAID-FOR 1927	35,248,483

### ASSETS

Gross Assets	\$ 15,170,000
Increase in Assets 1927 (15%)	2,000,000

### MORTALITY

Death Claims Paid 1927	\$ 839,103.96
Ratio actual to expected mortality	43.2%
Savings in Mortality	56.8%
TOTAL PAID Policyholders since organization	\$7,549,741.75

### RENEWALS

Percentage of PREMIUMS RENEWED	86.3%
(Lapsed 13.7%)	
Interest on Mortgage Loans	6%

The above is advance information taken from our books, December 31, 1927. It may be slightly changed by checking and verification, but it is substantially correct.

### OUR AGENCY QUOTA FOR 1928

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## COOLIDGE WARNS AGAINST GREAT TAX REDUCTION

Addresses Heads Govt. Bureaus in Annual Meet Last Eve

Washington, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Emphasizing anew the need for maintaining a well balanced federal budget and of reducing the national debt, President Coolidge told the heads of departments and bureaus at the semi-annual government business meeting last night that it is far better to have no tax reduction than to have too much.

While he stressed the importance of adhering to a constructive economy program, the President declared it would be a mistake to stifle activities vital to the safety and well-being of the nation. In this connection, he mentioned national defense, calling attention particularly to the administration's naval building program.

"It considers our own requirements alone and carries no thought of entry into competitive construction with any other nation," he said. "The plan I have endorsed does not contemplate any limitation of time as to the beginning or the completion of this tentative program. But it does contemplate the building of the ships as fast as possible."

**Apply Surplus to Debt**  
Cautioning against departure from the policy of keeping governmental expenditures within receipts, Mr. Coolidge pointed out that any surplus always could be applied to the public debt, the reduction of which, he said, is in itself indirect tax reduction.

"I have expressed myself in favor of further moderate tax reduction," the President said. "I have indicated the maximum reduction we can now afford. There was no partisan thought in that recommendation. I hope there will be none in its final consideration by the Congress."

"We must not depart from the wise policy established and thus far rigidly followed by keeping our expenditures within our receipts. That I had in mind in making my recommendation. It has made a rich contribution to the present splendid financial status of the country. It has enabled us to hire money at a lower rate than any other business in the world. It has been effective in the maintenance of prosperity. It has the hearty endorsement of the taxpayers."

"The policy of a balanced budget—expenditures within receipts—must not be molested. It must not be endangered. The great good which has come to this country from a balanced budget is too measureless, too far-reaching, even to suggest any other course. This nation is neither too weak nor too improvident to meet its obligations as they occur."

"The budget for 1929 which forecasts a surplus of \$252,540,000 is now before the Congress. The action so far taken by the Congress on that budget indicates no intention of diminishing the expected surplus. With a continuation of the efforts for economy in federal operations we can have a moderate reduction in taxes and at the same time adequately meet the urgent national problems which are now confronting us."

"Past economy has given us the means for internal improvements and developments and more adequate national defense. But we cannot stand the cost of the things which we should and must have, if we adopt excessive tax reduction. It is far better to have no tax reduction than to have too much. We have the public debt to which to apply every dollar of whatever surplus may accrue. That indirectly, is tax reduction. Every dollar applied to the debt saves perpetually the interest on that dollar. It is a contribution to the welfare of the people, a logical step nearer adequate tax reduction."

**Easy To Borrow**  
That it is much easier to borrow money than to pay it, Mr. Coolidge said, is shown by the fact that the national debt was increased from slightly over \$1,250,000,000 to nearly \$26,600,000,000 from 1917 to 1919. Although the debt was increased approximately \$25,000,000,000 in about two years, he said, it has required more than eight years to reduce it by \$8,500,000,000, leaving the debt at approximately \$18,000,000,000. Since the declaration of war in 1917, he pointed out more than \$17,000,000,000 has been paid in interest and principal.

"We cannot overestimate or over-emphasize the importance of the reduction which has been made in our debt," Mr. Coolidge added. "Our interest cost is still a great burden. This cost for next year, however, will be \$1,000,000 a day less than it was at the peak of our interest charges."

Asserting that economy in federal operations is here to stay, Mr. Coolidge declared that by economy, he meant "constructive economy" that provided ample appropriations for necessary expenditures. A large source of expense, he asserted, is for national defense.

**Cost \$20.50 A Second**  
"The cost of this for next year is estimated at approximately \$650,000,000," the President continued. "That means an average expenditure of \$1.23 for every minute or \$20.50 for every second of the year. The army program contemplates an expenditure in excess of \$100,000,000 and a construction program for the Navy is now receiving the consideration of the Congress."

"The authorization of 1916 was the last complete Navy program and that has been practically completed. The recommendation now before the Congress to replace obsolete naval vessels and moderately increase our naval strength contemplates an orderly

## The Canal Builder Goes to His Rest



A simple military ceremony for a great soldier were the funeral services at the West Point Military Academy cemetery for General George D. Goethals, U. S. A., retired, builder of the Panama Canal. Above you see the flag-wrapped caisson drawing slowly near the burial ground; below, an army bugler sounding the warrior's farewell call over the open grave. Nearby lie Winfield Scott, George A. Custer and other distinguished generals.

## The "Levi" and Her Old and New Masters



The Leviathan greatest of American ships, is pictured here with her old and new masters. Captain Herbert Hartley, shown at the left in civilian dress and at the right in uniform, has resigned command of the "Levi" in favor of Captain Harold A. Cunningham (center).

construction procedure; nothing more."

President Coolidge closed his remarks with a tribute to Director Lord of the Budget Bureau, who he said had the "judgment to say yes when the facts warranted."

Following the President, Director Lord declared that while there will be no slackening in the effort for economy, there is an irrefutable minimum of expenditure below which the government cannot go.

"We may possibly have reached that terminal, the director added. "The country grows and develops. The bigger the country the bigger the operating costs. But as long as there is a federal employee not fully committed to the doctrine of honest service, as long as there is an article of federal supply wasted and not completely and properly utilized, as long as there is a taxpayer's dollar not profitably employed, the drive for constructive economy will go on. If we cannot reduce expenditure or check its growth we can and will see to it that every increase is amply justified, and if we are obliged to spend more we can and will see that that more is spent wisely."

## HALDANE

Haldane—Seventy-five members of the L. T. C. C. gave their president Lee Fry a real surprise party Saturday evening in honor of his birthday. After recovering from the "shock" all were given a cordial welcome. The committee Mrs. Ada Brantner, Mrs. Flora Plum and Miss Sadie Stover had planned the following program which caused much enjoyment and merriment. Piano solos by Irma Rowland and Ada Stover; recitation by Lavern Brantner; vocal solo by Violet Walb; reading, "A Man Can Cook," by Alvie Reiff; Lavern Binkley read "The Ten Commandments for a Husband." In behalf of the guests Rev. S. S. Plum presented Mr. Fry with a Coleman lamp. A delicious scramble supper was served and all received a taste of the beautiful big birthday cake which contained 40 candles. (We're sure Lee don't care if we tell his age). Telling jokes and playing 42 after supper made the time pass too quickly. The March party will be at the Lavern Binkley home and Mrs. Will Pope.

## Ugly Pimples

Nature's warning—help nature clear your complexion and paint red roses in your pale, sallow cheeks. Truly wonderful results follow thorough cleansing. Take **NR**—Nature's Remedy—to regulate and strengthen your eliminative organs. Then watch the transformation. Try **NR** instead of more laxatives.

Mild, safe, purely vegetable—

**NR TO NIGHT**  
TOMORROW ALRIGHT  
At Drugists—only 25c

Mrs. Lee Fry and Mrs. Walter Paul will have charge of the entertainment. After wishing our good friend Lee many more happy birthdays we returned home, all declaring we had had a grand time.

During the evening's fun the following poem was read by Rev. Plum:

**"CIRCLE ROLL"**

Every month we have a meeting,  
We all go and have a greeting  
Any place where they will have us  
We will go.

And we all eat like panthers  
Yet we haven't been at the home of  
Floyd Brantners.

Now there's Stouffers, Binkleys,  
Stovers, Bakers.

Butterbaughs, Frys and Strites;  
They are all good people, and entertain us out of sight.

And the ones we intend to help saw wood  
Are the folks on the corner, Mr. Charles Good.

Don't forget the folks who are full of life  
They live down the road, and their names are Reiff.

It would be a great joy if we could meet at Bert Walbs.

We would pop the corn and carry in the cobs.

We will all take a lot of buns,  
When we go to the home of Fred Krum.

We sure will clean up all our crumbs  
The night we go to S. S. Plums.

Now we have met at Brantners,  
Sensenbaughs and Beard.

All had such a good time that none of us even sneered.

And we all will enjoy the games I hope.

The night we go to Frank Popes,  
There is a good man and he is a tiller.

He goes by the name of Clarence Miller,  
And another man who sure does like to spell.

He lives near a very large town and his name is Wm. Cordell.

Another place we hope soon to meet and stay until dawn.

That is up the road at the home of Mrs. Yohn.

Now I hope we all are enjoying this evening of laughter  
And music which sounds like it

**Night Coughs**  
**Quickly Relieved**

Stopped in 15 Minutes with Thoxine.

Most coughing is caused by an irritated, inflamed throat or bronchial tubes which cough syrups and patent medicines do not touch. But a famous physician's prescription recently discovered called Thoxine goes direct to the cause, relieves the inflamed membranes and stops the cough almost instantly. One swallow does the work, and the remarkable thing about it is that it contains no dope, chloroform or other harmful drugs. Pleasant tasting. Safe for children. Once used the whole family will rely on it. 35c, 60c and \$1.00. Sold by Rowland's Pharmacy, Dixon, and all good drug store.—Adv.

day was cold and ever since we have had some real winter weather. The ground is almost covered with snow.

Mrs. Dale Rae spent Friday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Conrad.

The ladies of the Busy Bee Club were entertained Thursday at the home of Mrs. Leslie Long. Sixteen ladies were present and all did ample justice to a grand dinner which the hostess served at noon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in conversation and sewing quilt blocks and various other needle work. After thanking Mrs. Long for a pleasant day the guests returned to their respective homes.

Mrs. Mary Diehl was a passenger to Forreston Friday morning where she visited in the Harry and Joe M. Fager homes.

J. J. Garman was a caller in town Monday. Mr. Garman, who is a veteran insurance man, was interested in seeing the wreckage of the old barn at Scott Kitzmiller's.

Misses Carol and Nellie Appel spent one afternoon last week with Mrs. Fred Krum and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Poper and son Richard of Ambloy were entertained Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good.

Miss Leone Phillips visited the Haldane school, Tuesday.

Another fine sermon was given at the Haldane church Sunday evening by Mark Burner. The young people's meeting was in charge of Miss Carol Appel. This part of the service is always inspiring and all enjoyed the piano solo played by Miss Appel. Next Sunday evening Mrs. Hazel Krum will lead at the young people's part of the service which begins at 7 o'clock. Plan to be there.

Mrs. Earl Buss and daughter Betty were Wednesday guests in the Appleby home near Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crowell and daughter Betty and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Michaels, Sr. of Mt. Morris were Monday evening company at the Fred Appel home.

The Springvale school was closed all last week on account of the teachers, Miss Marion Theil, being confined to her home with a severe case of tonsillitis.

Leslie Kitzmiller, Leslie Harmon, Jake Long and Forrest Miller attended the basketball game in Polo, Friday evening.

It is reported that Albert Mutinga has sold his 80 acre farm north of Haldane to Jacob Ludewig. Consideration \$10,000.

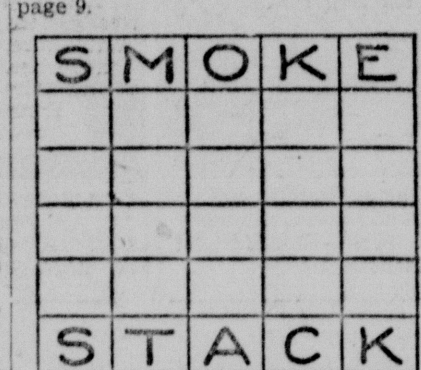
Among the friends who called on Mrs. Mary A. Binkley during the past week were, Mrs. George Brooks, Sr. of Brookville Township, Mrs. Elias Pyter of the Polo vicinity and Mrs. Uriah Stouffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Conrad and son Teddy of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buss and daughter Betty and Clifford Conrad and bride were entertained Sunday at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Osbaugh and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cramer and son Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Cramer Binkley and family and Mrs. Mary A. Binkley assisted Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shenefelt, who reside south of Polo, celebrate their



**IT'S TERRIBLE**  
It's not hard for some men to go from SMOKE to STACK, judging by what they sometimes smoke. See if you can beat par on this one. The Puzzle Editor's guess is revealed on page 9.



2—You can change only one letter at a time.

3—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each pump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4—The order of letters cannot be changed.

One solution is printed on page 9.

## FIRES

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## Adrift 56 Hours on Ice in Lake



When rescue of "Lady," a white collie dog adrift on a cake of ice in Lake St. Clair, near Detroit, seemed impossible because of a blizzard sweeping the lake, police shot at her in the effort to end the dog's suffering. But at the first shot, "Lady" scuttled behind a ridge in the ice. Shot after shot was sent toward the marooned dog, and it was finally believed she had been killed. After the weather had cleared a boat was taken out to the ice and "Lady" was found frozen tight in a crevice where she had hidden at the first shot. The dog was chopped from the ice, and rescuers found she had suffered only a mild frost-bite in the pads of her hind feet. Upon being freed "Lady" shook hands with her rescuers.

25th wedding anniversary last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ira Holsinger returned Saturday to her home at Gordon, Neb. Mrs. Holsinger, who was called here the last of December by the death of her father, George Kitzmiller, remained for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Albert Boelkus and son Alva spent one day recently in the Ben Buntjer home west of Forreston and Sunday afternoon Mrs. John Krum and son John Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krum and children visited in the same home.

**SHORT TALKS BY THOUGHTFUL MOTHERS.**

A New England Mother says, "Our children are very susceptible to coughs and colds. Being located some distance from town, we felt the need of a good dependable cough medicine, and when our druggist recommended Foley's Honey and Tar Compound as the best in his experience, we accepted his judgment gladly. For coughs, croup, whooping-cough, troublesome night coughs, bronchial coughs, we have tried it time and again, always with complete satisfaction."—Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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**"We've enjoyed the evening so much!"**

But what did they say on their way home? Even the most sympathetic of your friends have a way of comparing notes afterwards. The clothes you wore, the furnishings of the room, the food you served—each comes in for its share of the inevitable post-party conversation.

There is a way of keeping informed in those little things that catalogue your degree of smartness. It is through reading the advertisements, those messengers that bring news of the precise purchase to make. Advertisements lay before you the latest notes in dress. They illustrate the newest decorative treatments for the home. They furnish you with unique and tempting recipes for the table.

They advise you what to buy, how much it will cost, and where you can get it. They point out the pathway to saving pennies. They indicate the correct surroundings of a modern home.

**Read the advertisements. They are a valuable guide to current usage**



## Dixon Bowlers Won Eight Pin Margin

Freeport Y. M. C. A. bowling team bowed in defeat to the Dixon Y team on the local Y floor Saturday night. Dixon won by a majority of eight pins and two out of three games. Together of Freeport was high man with 203 for a single game and a total of 542 for three games.

Following are the scores:

Dixon Y. M. C. A.				
Worley	135	181	156	472
Reese	137	171	140	448
Roberts	120	131	131	382
L. Smith	117	147	137	421
Stultz	169	142	157	468

Totals 678 772 741 2191

Freeport Y. M. C. A.

Techter	155	184	203	542
Nichols	127	164	135	426
Husinger	102	127	102	331
Kalvey	162	124	155	441
Young	151	151	141	443

Totals 697 750 736 2183

Dixon anticipates a game with the Sterling Y. M. C. A. in the near future.

## SCHEDULE FOR WEEK

The schedule for the Industrial League basket ball games for Wednesday night is as follows:

7:00 Reynolds Wire vs Merchants.  
8:00 I. N. U. vs Brown Shoe Co.  
9:00 American Body and Cab vs J. I. Case.

## LEAGUE REORGANIZED

The Grade School League has been reorganized now, the following schools being represented: Loveland, North Central, E. C. Smith, South Central and St. Mary's.

The Loveland and North Central schools will open the competition in the new arrangement, Thursday at 4 p. m. The remainder of the schedule will appear later.

## "ALWAYS TIRED AT NIGHT"—TRY THIS.

A healthy person never feels constantly tired. Being "too tired" continually tells of something wrong. When John R. Gordon, Danville, Ill., found himself "always tired at night and burdened with backache," he took Foley's Pills, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and writes: "After a few doses, I felt better, could work easier, because stronger, and slept soundly." Men and women everywhere use and recommend them. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask for Foley's Pills diuretic. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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# SUPREME COURT'S DOCKET FOR NEW TERM HEAVY ONE

## Many Important Legal Questions are Be- fore Court

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31.—(AP)—In the hands of the seven justices of the Illinois Supreme Court rests the fate of a murderer, a murderer, several important laws affecting every resident of the state, and the disposal of a quo warranto action against the Governor of Illinois.

Decisions in many of the hundreds of cases before the court are expected at the February term, which starts Feb. 7.

The murderer is Charley Birger, one time king of the southern Illinois gang world, now awaiting death by the noose unless the Supreme Court intervenes. He was sentenced to hang for the murder of Mayor Joe Adams of West City. If a ruling is made at this term of court, it will probably be his last chance for life.

The murderer is Catherine Cassler of Chicago found guilty of plotting the slaying of her common law husband, William Lindstrom, for his \$1000 life insurance. Her two accomplices in the crime were tried and sentenced to prison. She was one of the few Illinois women ever to receive the death penalty.

### Woman's Last Chance

Mrs. Cassler's case is on the people's docket. The court should decide, at this term, whether it will take her case under advisement for review. If they reject her appeal, she, too, will probably have no further recourse.

Another slayer whose name is notorious seeks a review on the people's docket, Martin Durkin, crack automobile thief and police killer, is now serving a thirty-five year imprisonment. The court may decide whether it will take his case.

Pleas for Mrs. Cassler and Durkin are set for Saturday, Feb. 18.

The three important laws upon which the court has been asked to pass are the Primary Act of 1927, the Gasoline Tax Act of 1927, and the amendment of the Quo Warranto law of 1927. In the last, the Governor of the state is involved.

### Primary

The Primary Act test case was brought by Attorney General Oscar E. Carlstrom from Marion county. Decision in the case has been expected momentarily for several weeks. It is now predicted that the decision will be made on the first day of court.

The case testing the constitutionality of the law imposing a tax of two cents per gallon on gasoline was brought by the Chicago Motor club. It was appealed from the circuit court of Kane county.

Validity of the quo warranto amendment is a major question of Rep. J. Bert Miller's attempt to oust Governor Len Small from office, on his charge that the governor misappropriated state funds while holding a state office.

The amendment to the quo warranto law, passed by the last general assembly, exempts the governor and other state officials from ouster under the quo warranto law. Miller contends that this was an unconstitutional amendment. His suit is for mandamus to force the state's attorney of Sangamon county to institute quo warranto proceedings.

### Other Cases Docketed.

Other cases on the docket of more local or sectional interest are numerous. Included in these are:

Two or more cases attacking the validity of the act creating the state farm at Vandalia.

Several cases questioning the equity of the state's method of taxing foreign fire insurance companies.

The case appealed from Madison county to break the will of Countess von Koenigsmark in which is alleged that the mind of the countess, formerly an Alton girl, was "poisoned by German propaganda against her American heirs."

Election contest cases from Cook, Madison and Will counties.

A case from St. Clair attacking the act of legislature raising the salaries of judges of probate court.

## Cooperative Sales Near Three Billion

Washington.—(AP)—More than two and a half billion dollars worth of farm products are marketed co-operatively each year in the United States, figures reaching Secretary of Agriculture Jardine indicate.

Commenting on the circumstance, Mr. Jardine says the amount will increase steadily "to the greater stability of agriculture and to the prosperity of the country as a whole." He declares there can be no permanent prosperity in this country so long as a large group of the producing population has little or nothing to do with the marketing of its own products.

## High School Meeting

Do you know why feeding floors, sidewalks, water tanks, barn floors and basement walls require a certain mixture of concrete? Are there any questions in regard to concrete construction that you would like to have discussed? G. F. Steigerwald, Agricultural Engineer for the Portland Cement Association, will explain and show the best way to make money saving farm improvements at a demonstration meeting at the Dixon high school Wednesday evening.

Several reels of motion pictures will be shown.

This meeting is open to anyone and is given by the Agricultural Department of the high school.

### DIE FOR PENNIES

Mullens, W. Va.—Enoch Tolliver, 85, and his wife were killed in their little store at Pierpont, near here, for the price of a pound of cheap candy. The aged couple, authorities believe, gave their lives for the small change, totalling 58 cents, found near the scene of the double tragedy.

## SCARBORO NEWS

Scarboro.—T. F. Kirby of Steward, with a representative of the International Harvester Co., of Aurora, was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis returned to the J. A. Bender home after spending some time in Amboy and Gilman with relatives and friends.

Ben Koch, with the aid of a few of his neighbors, will slaughter several hogs for their summer meat.

Several friends of William and George Webber have received cards announcing their safe arrival with relatives in eastern Pennsylvania.

William Daum, "pump doctor" of Steward was at the Modest Henry home Friday.

The dance held in Reeses' hall Friday evening was well attended by the younger set.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. White are nicely located on the P. J. Schoenholz farm.

Elmer Herrman of Shabbona was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Thompson were in Rochelle Thursday morning returned to Steward in the afternoon where Mrs. Thompson attended the Ladies Aid held at the church.

Sunday afternoon fire was discovered on the roof of the P. J. Schoenholz residence in Scarboro. Much headway had been gained. The blaze was soon extinguished by the fire brigade.

Vernie Durin, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to the Rockford City Hospital, Thursday for treatment.

Mrs. Joe Carney and Mrs. H. J. Smith attended the Ladies Aid Thursday at Steward M. E. church. Mrs. Carney being one of the hostesses. A unique program was given and enjoyed by all, following this lunch was served.

Glen Durin motored to Rockford, Friday to visit Vernie at the hospital. Mrs. George Evers of Lindwood is spending some time at the J. A. Bender home.

Mrs. William Webber and grandson, Wayne were down from Rochelle Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. White called at the C. R. White home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kirk of Maytown have moved in the William Debbier house vacated recently by C. R. White. Mrs. Kirk's mother, Mrs. Kessel, is spending sometime with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Durin motored to Rockford Monday to visit their son, Vernie at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vincent and baby daughter visited Sunday at the William Kirk home. Mrs. Vincent was formerly Grace Gigeous.

Charles Hare and family are now occupying the house vacated recently by Joe Kenny on the Robert Herrman farm.

Dorothy Durin, Scarboro school teacher, will hold a food sale Saturday, Feb. 4th at the J. H. Grove store for the benefit of her school.

C. R. White and G. J. Thompson attended the sale on the R. P. Davison farm Wednesday.

Merritt Ackland, student at the State Teachers College in DeKalb, came home Thursday suffering with an infection in his foot.

The Ladies' Aid will give a miscellaneous shower Saturday, Feb. 4th at Scarboro church in honor of Mrs. Winnie Wigginton Lewis.

## Buyers Bid With Eyes at Big Four Auction

New York.—(AP)—From traplines in forest and swamp where the trapper gathers his pelts, it is a long journey to the boulevards where furs appear at last in costly coats.

Linking the collector to the dealer, manufacturer and retailer is the fur auction. Close to 1,500,000 animal pelts are sold here each year in New York at the greatest of the three annual auctions. They will bring between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 in their raw state.

A week before the sale begins the fur merchant or his buyer appears. In an unpretentious warehouse he examines the furs to be put on sale.

In one square room this year were assembled the skins of silver foxes, with a wholesale value of more than \$1,400,000. Nearby, in other rooms, were gathered \$4,000,000 worth of other furs, of which samples were displayed for buyers to look at.

Each buyer notes, in large catalogues of the lots for sale the price he thinks fair for a lot that interests him. The next week the buyers gather in the auction room.

There are some 500 or 600 men from nearly all over the world, but there is no confusion, little noise. The auctioneer offers a lot and suggests a price. If it is too high, it is lowered. Then bidding begins. But bidding is silent and secret, done mostly with the eyes to the auctioneer and five "spotters" who occupy the platform.

Big dealers do not want others to know when they sensing a demand for this kind of fur drive up the price. Bids move up at a fixed rate as the "spotter" gets his signal and shouts "Up!" The system is fast. Sales are made at an average rate of two per minute.

The magnitude of the sales may be indicated by the numbers of a few species of pelt offered: 36,000 muskrat, 69,493 skunk, 9,000 silver fox, 4,222 antelope, 7,085 monkey, 22,600 ermine, 131,494 mole, 125,413 squirrel, 1,000 Russian sable, 1,137 leopard, 75,721 raccoon, 34,437 lamb, 17,645 civet cat, and even 12,462 house cat skins.

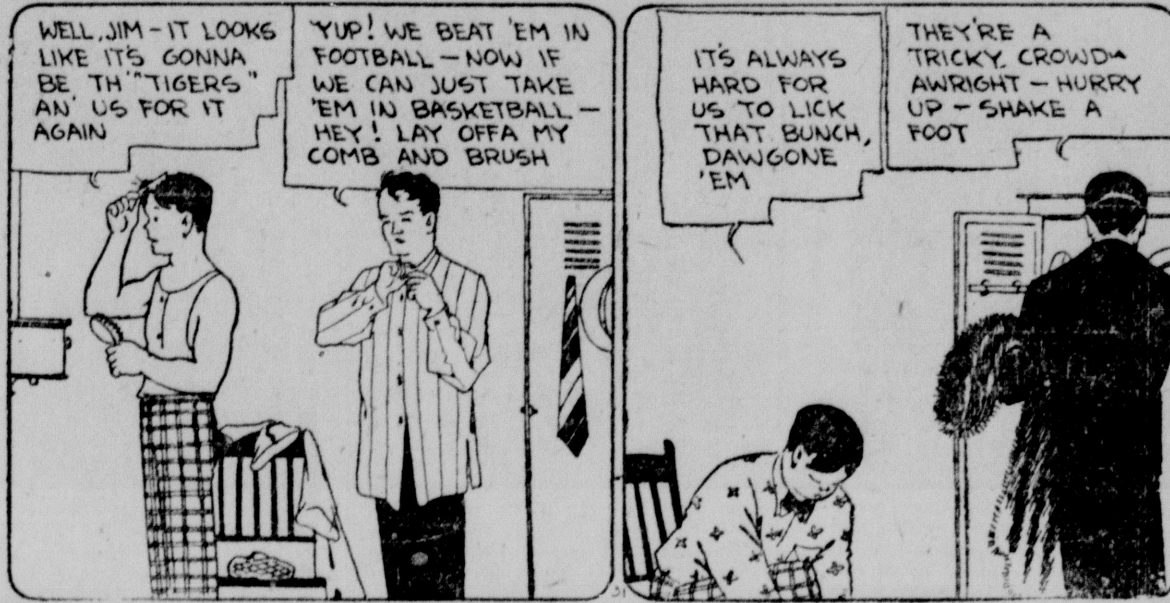
Scores of thousands of other furs are included in the sale—monkey, goat, mountain lion, tiger, chinchilla, rat, beranduki, timber wolf, caracul, Persian lamb, Chinese weasel, Japanese mink and many others.

The buyer may gain heavily or lose much by what he purchases at this and later auctions. Style changes may send prices in some lines soaring to new heights. If he is fortunate his profits are heavy. If he buys heavily a fur that fashion does not sanction, it means a lean year.

Every reader of the Dixon Telegraph should have one of our Accident Insurance policies. \$1.00 will pay for a thousand dollar policy in case you should meet death. Call No. 5 for particulars.

See Hal Bardwell for fire insurance.

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Horace is Layin' for 'Em

By Martin

## MOM 'N POP



Putting Punch Into It

By Taylor

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Out of a Clear Sky!

By Blosser

## SALESMAN \$AM



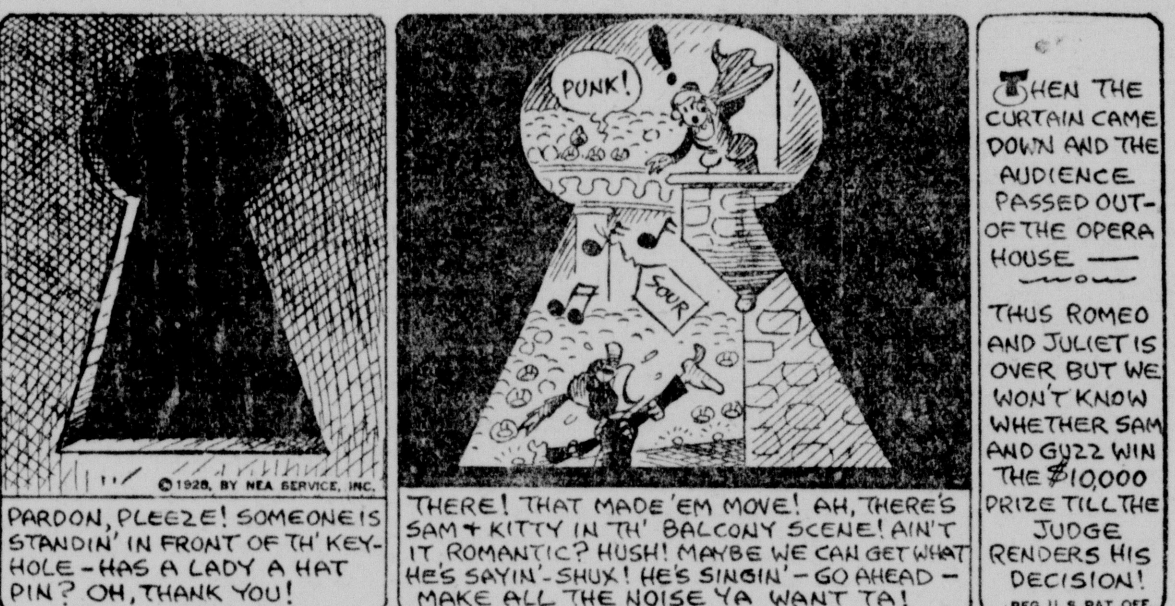
The Big Night—

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## NOTICE

All classified advertisement must be delivered to this office not later than 11 A. M. on day of publication.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New Congoleum rugs, new beds, new springs, new mattresses. Gallagher's Square Deal New and Second Hand Store, 609 W. Third St. Open nights. Tel. X1349. 11tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—New modern 5-room bungalow. Will sell on long time, \$450 down. Address letter "X. X." in care of this office. 9tf

FOR SALE—New and used pianos and phonographs. Trade and terms. Our overhead expenses are less, we sell for less. Strong Music Co. 84tf

FOR SALE—Furniture and stoves. We are the oldest and biggest on the best. Fred & Unangst Second Hand Store, 113 Peoria Ave., Phone 296. 12tf

FOR SALE—Let us clean your car inside and out the way you like it. F. G. Eno, Buick Sales & Service. 290tf

FOR SALE—1927 Nash light 6 Coupe, 1928 Nash 4-door Standard 6 used as demonstrator. Nash Garage. 289tf

FOR SALE—Healo, the most effective foot powder on the market. Ask any druggist for it. Only 25c a box. 1tf

FOR SALE—Nurses record sheets. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1tf

FOR SALE—For Exide batteries, Watson Stabilizers, Goodyear tires, Ever-Ready, Prestone, the perfect Anti-Freeze, Moto-Gard radiator shutters, car heaters and Lorraine Controllable driving light. Call on H. A. Manges, 79 Galena Ave., Phone 446. 275tf

FOR SALE—Headquarters for violins of all kinds at very reasonable prices. Strong Music Co. 2313

FOR SALE—Poultry, Toulouse geese and gander, 2 mammoth white Pekin hens, 1 grey, Mrs. Lena Wallace, Rock Falls, Ill., R3. 2413\*

FOR SALE—Mammoth white Pekin drakes, brooder house 8x12; also wanted custom hatching. Mrs. Will Otto, Phone L5. 2413\*

FOR SALE—12 sheep, L. A. Petrie, Franklin Grove, Phone 78-4 rings. 2413\*

FOR SALE—3 young purebred mammoth bronze turkey toms. Large. Reasonably priced. First place east of Hill school, Phone R1139. 2413\*

FOR SALE—BUICK USED CAR VALUES.

DOUGDE—1925 2-passenger Coupe. Leather upholstery. Good value.

BUICK—1924 Master 6 Roadster. A snappy looking and performing car.

CHEVROLET—1927 Coupe. Like new throughout. See it.

BUICK—1920 Touring Car. Good tires. Runs good. Valued at \$75.

Our best used cars are not written. They're driven.

F. G. ENO, Buick Sales & Service, Dixon, Ill. 254tf

FOR SALE—5 Incubators, Queen 500 size, Standard Reliable, 300; Trusty 250; X-Rays, 150 each; chick feeders and drinkers, brooder stoves, 50 Rhode Island pullets. Tel. 12120 after 5:30 p. m. 2513\*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Hotel, located in southern Michigan, fully equipped. Two blocks from the United States Highway No. 112. The most important highway in the state running between Chicago and Detroit. Beautiful tiled floor in lobby, with antique art glass. Account of death, and is willing to sacrifice for anything of value, in or around Chicago. A real money maker for some one. What have you? Write owner, "Cora," Lock Box No. 66, Dixon, Ill. 2516\*

FOR SALE—2 1926 STUDEBAKER STANDARD SIX COACHES.  
1 1925 STUDEBAKER SPECIAL SIX TOURING, with winter enclosure. These are all painted and mechanically like new.  
1 NASH SEDAN.  
COUNTRYMAN & JOHNSON, 1 1926 FORD ROADSTER, STUDEBAKER SPECIAL, California top, \$250.00. 251tf

FOR SALE—5 (30x3 1/2) over size tires, tubes and rims. Grow Auto Parts. 251

## WANTED

WANTED—Roofing work of all kinds; also spouting and furnace work. E. J. Nicklaus, basement 223 First St. Phone K793; Res. K462. 152tf

AUCTION SALE—11 Brown Swiss cows. Registered and grade stock. February 2, on Harmon road, Hamilton township. R. L. Sweetman. 2313\*

WANTED—General repairing of all kinds. Guns, sewing machines, phonographs, typewriters, etc., also keys duplicated. M. H. Needham, 115 Hennepin Ave., Tel. Y702. 11tf

WANTED—Phonographs, Victrolas and Radios to repair. High-class workmanship by our expert repairman. Phone 182, Theo. J. Miller & Sons. 144tf

## WANTED

WANTED—Your garments and oriental rugs to clean. Our work is first-class. Bon-Ton Cleaners, 117 1/2 First St. Phone 1015. 226tf

WANTED—Chair caning, also old-fashioned splint weaving and rush seating. H. B. Fuller, 512 N. Galena Ave. Phone X948. 291tf

WANTED—Our farmer friends to visit our job department when in need of sale bills. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1tf

WANTED—Rug weaving, rag and fluff rugs, pillow tops, table runners made from silk rugs. Rugs for sale. Prices reasonable. H. G. Smyth, 716 College Ave., Dixon, Tel. X553. 9126\*

WANTED—Used typewriter, in good condition. V. F. Mohler care H. Wallace, Rock Falls, R3. 2413\*

WANTED—Washing to do at home, or will go out. Will do ironing. Just live out side city. Phone 64200. 2513\*

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Man to book orders for nursery stock and hire agents. \$50 weekly. Exclusive territory. Free outfit. Emmons Co., Newark, N. Y. 1tf

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms in downtown building. Apply at Evening Telegraph office. 1tf

FOR RENT—House on farm with 2 or 3 acres of land, 2 miles from Wauwong. A. F. Dillman, Box 24, Wauwong, Ill. Phone L6. 184\*

FOR RENT—Front sleeping room, modern, close in, 315 E. Second St. Phone X333. 201\*

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment on second floor. Light, gas, heat and water furnished. Private front and back entrance. 116 E. Eighth St., Phone B855. 2313

FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 812 W. Third St., Phone Y997. 2313\*

FOR RENT—Apartment of 4 rooms and bath. Strictly modern, heat furnished. Good garage. 1 block from court house. Immediate possession. Phone 124, Miller Agency. 2413

FOR RENT OR SALE—7-room house and barn with 3 acres of ground. Louis Gilroy, Phone 5200. 2516\*

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms with garage privileges; private entrance. Call at 721 College Ave. 2513\*

## SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Salesmen, An Illinois corporation would like to communicate with a number of honest, aggressive men of good character for sales work. Past experience in selling is not necessary, but would be helpful. Men with life insurance experience are invited to answer this advertisement. Either full or part time workers. State in detail your past selling experience if any. Personal interview arranged. Address, "A. M." in care of this office. 2113\*

## RADIO SERVICE

RADIO TROUBLE IS BATTERY trouble. Headquarters for Radio Power Units Service on all make batteries and radios. Dixon Battery Shop. 278tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

CASH FOR DEAD ANIMALS. Phone Rock Falls 458. Reverse charges. DEAD ANIMAL DISPOSAL CO. 295126\*

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING AND machine work. Reasonable prices. Dixon Machine Works, rear of Natchua Tavern, Phone 362. 144tf

WE REPAIR AND RECOVER Sedans and Coupe tops; also touring and roadster top and side curtains. Replacement Parts Co. 266tf

GIRLS LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE—Demand steadily increasing. Big pay. Excellent future. Write for free catalog. Moler College, 512 N. State St., Chicago. 2313\*

DIXON AND CHICAGO BUSINESS men express themselves as highly pleased with the artistic up-to-date printing of letter heads, circulars, cards, etc., turned out by B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon, Ill. 2313\*

REAL ESTATE, FOR SALE OR rent. Insurance in all its branches. All good reliable companies. John H. Loftus Co., 107 Galena Ave. 20126

GUESS AGAIN. MOVIE DIRECTOR (to Scotch actor): In this scene you give away a hundred dollars.

THE ACTOR: Where's my double?—Judge. 144tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

COMPLETE, CENTRALIZED SERVICE for your car. Open day and night. Newman Bros., Riverview Garage. 2701\*

CASH PAID FOR DEAD ANIMALS. Phone 277. Reverse charges. Tankage for sale. DIXON RENDERING WORKS. 14-March 18\*

KEEP WELL CHICKENS WELL—Mother Vaccine Chicken Remedy for diarrhea, Cholera and worms. 1051\*

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. (In Foreclosure.) State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court of said County. The Prudential Insurance Company of America, a corporation, Complainant,

vs. Justus H. Henert, Emma M. Henert, The Ashton Bank, a corporation, The First National Bank of Steward, Illinois, a corporation, Christina Zimmerman, administratrix of the estate of George Zimmerman, deceased, Minnie Kersten, Intendant of the National Harvester Company of America, a corporation, Thomas F. Kirby and William J. Kirby, partners doing business as T. F. Kirby and Son, William H. Henert, Charles Kerz, Henry Kersten, Oscar Schade and Otto Schade, partners doing business under the firm name of Oscar Schade and Son, Chicago Joint Stock Land Bank, a corporation, Gideon A. Hamel, Ralph S. Charters, and Paul W. Charters, executors of the last will and testament of Nathan A. Petrie, deceased, and John Wagner, Defendants.

In Chancery. Foreclosure. Gen. No. 4718. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, Edwin M. Bunnell, Special Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court in and for said County of Lee, State of Illinois, in pursuance of a decree of said court made and entered in the above entitled cause on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1927, at the September term, A. D. 1927 term of said court, will on

THURSDAY, the 2nd DAY of FEBRUARY, A. D. 1928, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the North door of the Lee County Court House in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, to satisfy said decree, and singular, the following described real estate in said decree mentioned, situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said decree, to-wit:

Part of the South One-half (1/2) of Section Number Eleven (11) and part of the North One-half (1/2) of Section Number Fourteen (14) of Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in Dixon Township, lying on the Southernly and Westerly side of Rock River, and contiguous thereto, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the South line of the North Half (N 1/2) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in Dixon Township, lying on the Southernly and Westerly side of Rock River, and contiguous thereto, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the South line of the North Half (N 1/2) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in Dixon Township, lying on the Southernly and Westerly side of Rock River, and contiguous thereto, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the South line of the 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# SPORTS OF ALL SORTS DEMPSEY CANNOT FIGHT TILL FALL HE PHONES 'TEX'

## And Promoter Plans to Carry on His Elim- ination Program

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—The heavyweight dance of the would-be champions proceeded today with one of the principals sitting out a number.

From Los Angeles, yesterday, Jack Dempsey served notice he would not be in shape for a titular tiff until next September, which is partially caused by an injury to the right eye. But he declared he would be in condition by fall and he expects no difficulty in coming to terms with Tex Rickard for a bout with the ruling king of the heavies.

Despite the temporary absence of the Manassa Mauler from the ring, Rickard's revised elimination series goes on as scheduled, John M. Chapman, Rickard's assistant at Madison Square Garden, announced.

**Tunney Fight in June**  
Chapman said he talked with Rickard by telephone, receiving word from the promoter at Miami Beach that the survivor of the approaching eliminations would stack up against champion Gene Tunney in June.

The principals of this series are Jack Delaney and Tom Heeney, who tussle on March 1, and Jack Sharkey and Johnny Risko, who battle on March 12. Now that Dempsey has declared he will not box until next September, the winner of the eastern tournament will be sure to fight Tunney, Chapman said.

Previously Rickard had mentioned that he might pit the elimination winner against Dempsey in the event there were indications further eliminations would be desirable before arriving at the championship affair.

The victors of the two March bouts will be matched into the final of the elimination events to take place in Madison Square Garden some time in April. All of the bouts will be over the 15-round distance.

**15-Round Fights**  
When Rickard started his first elimination bringing together Sharkey and Heeney, the bout was twelve rounds, an incident that Rickard later regretted. The bout ended in a draw verdict. Rickard then compelled the boxers of the coming contests to sign for fifteen rounds, which is the championship distance.

Although Sharkey has a challenge against Tunney filed with the New York State Athletic Commission and Delaney a like deal with the National Boxing Association, neither is regarded to have serious bearing on the ultimate championship as the elimination will be the determining factor.

Chapman added that Dempsey was being retained by Rickard for a September bout against Tunney, provided, of course, Tunney successfully defends his crown in June.

## Peltzer is Irked by Committee Delay

Chicago, Jan. 31—Dr. Otto Peltzer, the German running marvel, is irked by the delay of the foreign relations committee of the Amateur Athletic Union in granting him permission to compete on American track meets during his present stay.

The German half-mile champion, who is eager to match strides with America's best, has applied for permission to race in three meets during February—the Millrose Games, the Illinois Athletic Club meet and the New York K. of C. meet—but the committee is withholding definite permission until it can confer with Peltzer at New York tomorrow.

"Their actions are a puzzle to me," Dr. Peltzer said last night after a workout on the indoor track of the University of Chicago. "First they told me I could not run here. Then they told me I could run in three meets only, but that I must name the three meets I wanted to run in. After listening to the invitation of a dozen or more athletic organizations, I finally decided on three meets I most wanted to run in and sent that information to the foreign relations committee of the A. A. U. as requested. Still they do not grant me permission but desire that I come to New York to talk further with them. Perhaps, I did not choose the right three

meets. Perhaps they merely want to see me in person to see if I really am Dr. Otto Peltzer. I do not know. I have agreed to all the rules of the A. A. U. and the chairman of the foreign relations committee is to handle all of my expenses, to be paid the three clubs where I run. I cannot believe there will be any difficulty in the committee's sanctioning my petition to run in this country."

Dr. Peltzer was bound for New York today to meet the committee.

## Berlenbach and His Wife are Reconciled

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—Paul Berlenbach and his wife were on their second honeymoon today, the differences which had caused an annulment proceedings by the former light-heavyweight champion, apparently smoothed away.

"That's nobody's business," was Paul's answer to questions as to their destination, but it is understood they headed south, perhaps as far south as Havana.

Berlenbach last week served papers in an annulment action charging that Mrs. Berlenbach, the former Rose Anne Riley of Los Angeles, had not waited the legal span of time between the signing of the divorce decree from her husband, and their marriage. Mrs. Berlenbach countered with the statement that she had, and if she hadn't, Paul knew all about it since he had hunted the money for her divorce-hunting trip to Mexico. She said Paul's parents were responsible for the breach and didn't like her because she refused to learn to speak German.

Attorneys for the two made the announcement of the reconciliation after Berlenbach had phoned them that he and his wife had met over the week-end and decided to quit the legal ring and hang up their gloves.

## Lateral Pass Hit by Eastern Coach

Philadelphia, Jan. 31—(AP)—Eastern football coaches and officials at a round-table discussion last night expressed disapproval of the lateral pass and agreed unanimously that representatives of the eastern section should go before the Football Rules Committee with the recommendation that the play be dropped and the pass revert to the status of 1926.

William Roper, Princeton coach and eastern section member of the rules committee, was chairman of the meeting.

While unanimous against the lateral pass, sentiment was just as strong in favor of keeping the goal posts back of the line, the opinion being that setting them back 10 yards made no material difference.

Game officials were urged to enforce the rule covering the screened pass. It being pointed out that flagrant violations were now practiced. It was suggested that officials be authorized to inflict penalties for such violations.

Gil Dobie, Cornell coach, would include in the rule on clipping, that clipping from the side as well as from behind be penalized. Roper and coach Hugo Bezek of Penn State, were in favor of abolishing the point after touchdown, but this proposal did not meet with general approval. Officials at the meeting were in favor of a mechanical device that would make possible the accurate placing of the linesman's stick at the point of first down.

## OSBORNE ENTERED

Urbana, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Harold Osborne, holder of the world and Olympic game high jump records, left today for Chicago where he will join a contingent of western athletes on a month's invasion of the east in athletic contests.

Osborne, former University of Illinois track star, has been in training here since December 1 and said he was in excellent physical condition and hoped to better his world high jump record of six feet, eight inches.

He is entered in the Millrose Games at New York February 2, the Boston Athletic Club Games February 4, the Newark Athletic Club Games February 8, the Illinois Athletic Club contest February 10, the National Indoor Championships at New York, February 26, the Knights of Columbus Games, New York, February 29.

## Purples in Second Place in "Big Ten"

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Second place in the Big Ten basketball race today was occupied solely by Northwestern University with four victories and one defeat.

The Purple eagles took undisputed possession of the runner-up position last night by winning a hard, rough game with Minnesota 25 to 22, at Evanston, Wisconsin, which had been tied with Northwestern for the position with three wins and one loss.

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# City Bowling League Scores

Sterling and Clinton bowled a match at the Pastime Bowling Alleys yesterday afternoon. Sterling winning by 134 pins. Pfundstein of Sterling was high for total pins with 623. He also was high for single game with 224 pins.

CLINTON			
Mahomy	180	142	189-511
Neisslu	160	169	180-509
Buick	170	157	202-529
Rosenberg	157	191	190-538
Cook	205	196	172-572
872 855 933 2660			

STERLING			
Moxie	150	135	182-467
Forster	195	163	172-530
Hink	212	224	187-623
Bauer	179	215	200-594
Hutton	206	218	156-580
942 955 897 2794			

The Chevrolets defeated the Am-Body & Cab Co. team, two out of three games last night. Rosbrook was high for total pins with 563 and also high single game with 231.

CHEVROLETS			
Rosbrook	186	166	231-583
Hefley	209	141	143-493
Glassburn	153	148	146-447
Pittman	191	157	188-536
Elliott	164	156	213-553
903 768 921 2592			

AM-BODY & CAB CO.			
Arnold	182	159	139-480
G. Jones	135	173	162-470
Burke	123	159	160-442
Kearns	140	137	143-420
W. Jones	143	165	157-465
Handicap	106	105	105-316
829 898 866 2593			

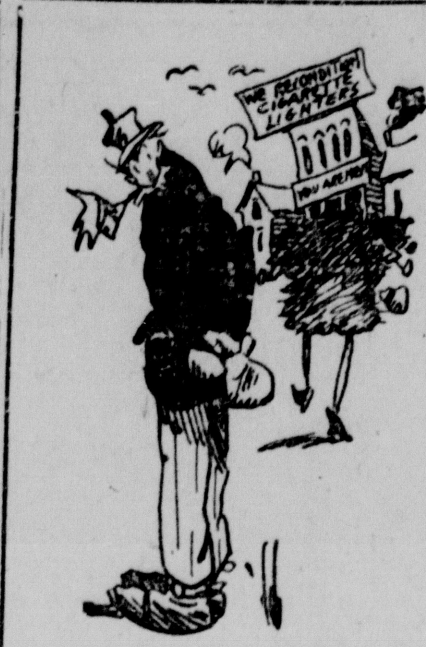
**Games Tonight**  
Dixon K. C. vs Dixon Fruit Co.  
Legion vs Ashton.

was idle and dropped into third place. Failure of the Gophers to find the basket in the first 15 minutes of play caused their defeat. During that period, they were able to sink only three free throws while Northwestern scored 15 points. In the second half, however the Gophers rallied, overcame their opponents and the result was in doubt until the last minute of play.

## GIANTS SIGN RECRUITS

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—Four recruit pitchers have signed contracts with the New York Giants for the 1928 drive. Secretary J. J. Tierney announced today. They are Chet Nichols, drafted from the Jersey City Internationals last fall; Arthur Johnson, a southpaw from Newark; Henry Boney and Ned Porter, former stars at the University of Florida.

Boney and Porter had try-outs previously with the Giants. Boney was sent to Newark last season and Porter to Birmingham.



**ABE MARTIN**

One would think we belonged t' th' league o' nations from th' way "our boys" are bein' mowed down in Nicaragua. "Oh, it wuz so blamed cold Sunday we jest stayed at home an' played cards t' see who'd git th' divorce," said Mrs. Em Moots' niece t' day.

## MANDELL TO BE BUSY

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Business is picking up for Sammy Mandell, ruler of the World's lightweight.

In addition to an offer from Promoter Jim Mullen of Chicago for a title match here this summer, his manager, Eddie Kane, has received offers for titular bouts in Boston and Detroit.

Eddie Mack of Boston has offered him \$50,000 for a match with "Money Boy" Finnegan at Fenway Park and a Detroit promoter requests a title match for Phil McGraw at the latter's home town, Detroit.

Kane said he expected to make a definite announcement of the selected summer program within a few weeks.

## GARDNER DISCOURAGED

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Robert A. Gardner of Chicago, four times captain of the American Walker Golf Cup team, says his game is so poor that he does not even expect to get on this year's team, to say nothing of the captaincy.

He said he believed Bobby Jones of Atlanta would be selected to lead this year's team.

## Reynolds Team Wins

The Reynolds Wire Co. basket ball team defeated the Lee Center town team at Lee Center Monday evening, 34 to 24, in a game marked by its clean sportsmanship. The Lee Center team will play a return game in Dixon in the near future.

## WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—The Women's Western Golf championship has been set for August 13 to 18 over the Indian Hill club course, Chicago.

Mrs. Harry Pressler of Los Angeles is the defending champion.

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## FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(BY THE AP)

Philadelphia—Tony Canzoneri, New York, and Pete Nebo, Key West, Fla., drew (10). Benny Schwartz, outpointed Pinky May, Savannah, Ga., (10).

New York—Jole Kaufman, New York, won from Luis Vincentini, Chile (10). Sammy Vogel, defeated Eddie Elkins (10).

Boston—Ernie Schaaf, Elizabeth, N. J., defeated Bennie Touchstone, Miami, Fla., (10).

Chicago—Joe Chaney, Baltimore, outpointed Frankie Schaeffer, Chicago (10). Earl Mastro, Chicago won from Jimmy Sayers, Lafayette, Ind., (6). Danny Delmont, Chicago, defeated Dutch Leiler, Elkhart, Ind., (6).

Rochester, N. Y.—Jack McVey, Brooklyn, technically knocked out George Nichols, Sandusky, O., (10). Miami, Fla.—Farmer Joe Cooper, Terre Haute, Ind., and Billy Alger, Phoenix, Ariz., drew (10).

Tulsa, Okla.—Young Stribling, Macon, Ga., defeated Chuck Burns, San Antonio (10).

Trenton, N. J.—Jess Stringham, Salt Lake City, won from Frankie Senk, Springfield, Mass., (10).

Decatur, Ill.—"Pewee" Kaiser, St. Louis, technically knocked out Johnny Hopfinger, Chicago (7). "Digger" Nelson, St. Louis won by a technical knockout over Billy Cain, Louisville, (6).

## TO TALK WITH PELTZER

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—The foreign relations committee of the Amateur Athletic Union will meet in conference with Dr. Otto Peltzer here tomorrow to decide on granting the German track star permission to

compete in indoor track events in the United States.

Peltzer, who is the conqueror of Edwin Wide and Paavo Nurmi, hopes to be allowed to participate in three track meets which would start him off in the 800-meters run at the Millrose A. A. championships at Madison Square Garden Thursday night.

Other events in which Peltzer will seek permission to take part will be the 1,000-meter run at the Illinois A. C. games in Chicago on Feb. 10 and the 1,500-meter run of the Knights of Columbus meet here on Feb. 29.

## Chicago Quartet to Sing for Local Elks

The Chicago male quartette will be the first number on the winter entertainment course for members of the Dixon lodge of Elks and their ladies. This famous organization will appear at the club Wednesday evening, presenting groups of standard quartet numbers and humorous selections, pianologues, character impersonations and college songs.

The personnel of the quartette is excellent. Robert Herrick, who heads the company is a well known singer and entertainer whose reputation as a fun maker is unequalled in his field. With him are three other artists, Doerle Jensen, first tenor, Kirk Emmons, second tenor and Frank Horstmeier, basso.

## JENNINGS UNCHANGED

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 31—(AP)—There was no change noted this morning in the condition of Hughie Jennings, famous figure of the baseball diamond. He spent a restful night, but his general condition was not changed and is "still very grave," said a bulletin signed by the four attending physicians.

## Brief Summary of Last Night's News

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

McNeill, New Governor-General, makes uneventful voyage from London to Dublin despite rumors of plot against him.

Edmund Osthaus, artist, dies in sleep at his Marianna, Fla., hunting lodge.

Discovery of seven cases of infantile paralysis at Stanford University, Cal., causes postponement of social and some athletic activities of institution.

Curtis of Kansas given ovation at Kansas Day dinner in Washington which virtually becomes a Curtis-for-President rally; formal launching of Curtis campaign occurs at Kansas dinner in New York.

## IN ILLINOIS

Rock Island reports slight gain in net railway operating income for December over same month of 1926.

Rockford junk yard proprietor is shot while seated in truck; three Freeport men hunted by police.

Nine seriously injured when Penn-

sylvania train leaves rails near Greenville.

Ivor Montgomery, 81, one of state's oldest lawyers, dies at his Aurora home.

## Robber is Suicide

Chicago, Jan. 31—(AP)—Robert Lyles, 26, of St. Louis, shot himself through the head twice rather than be captured by police following a robbery last night. He was reported dying.

From newspaper clippings found in a pocket, police learned that he had attempted suicide in Denver, Colo., recently after a quarrel with a girl.

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Salmon were caught in the River Thames between Deptford and Wandsworth as late as 1798.

## Curtis Drive Started

New York, Jan. 31—(AP)—The campaign of the only avowed candidate for the republican presidential nomination—Senator Charles Curtis, of Kansas—was formally under way in New York City today while the headquarters of his fellow midwesterner, former Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, was closed.

The campaign of Senator Curtis was launched by Gov. Ben S. Paulen, of Kansas in an address before a dinner of the Kansas Society of New York.

## ELIZA TO SING SING

New York—A modern Eliza in the person of Roy Green, sneaked into the United States by crossing the ice over the St. Lawrence river. Then he became indiscreet and committed a holdup which netted him 50 cents. A Queens county judge sent him to Sing Sing to think it over for from 7½ to 15 years.

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